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FOR 1858.

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With the present number, the *Tribune* has entered upon its third volume. Commenced at a time when the confidence of the citizens of Altoona in newspapers and newspaper publishers was considerably shaken, if not totally annihilated, it has slowly but surely restored that confidence, and now stands upon a sure foundation, and is universally acknowledged to be one of the fixed institutions of our town. But this result has not been achieved without a hard struggle, and considerable expenditure of time and means on the part of its editors. The steady increase of patronage, however, has afforded indubitable evidence that their labors have been appciated.

In entering upon the new volume it is almost unnecessary to say that the *Tribune* will continue to be "INDEPENDENT IN EVERYTHING," being biassed neither by fear, favor nor affection, in favor of parties or sects. In this respect it is only necessary to say that the past affords a fair index as to our future course.

It has always been our aim to make the *Tribune*, a reliable first-class LOCAL PAPER, as we believe that in that character alone, country papers can successfully compete with their flashy city neighbors. To this end we have secured correspondents in various parts of the county, who furnish us with all the items of local interest in their vicinity. We purpose adding others to our list as soon as we can obtain them. During the next year we shall redouble our efforts to make the *Tribune* a perfect compendium of HOME NEWS—A RELIABLE, FIRST-CLASS LOCAL PAPER, second to none in the country, and as such a welcome weekly visitor to our patrons, whether at home or abroad.

But while the Local Department shall be our special care, we shall also devote a considerable space to LITERARY MATTER, FUN AND HUMOR, and the chronicling of events of general interest to our readers. We purpose also publishing from time to time "Original Sketches of Men and Things" which will be furnished by our contributors. We have made arrangements also to have a weekly letter from Philadelphia, and judging from the reputation our correspondent sustains as a popular writer, these letters will be a rich treat to our readers.

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By the above it will be seen that our paper is emphatically the cheapest in the county.—As to its merits we leave in to the public to decide. We earnestly request our friends throughout the county to "give us a lift," as we have no doubt each of them can readily obtain a club in their neighborhood.

CANVASSERS WANTED.—Several energetic business men wanted to canvass the county for subscribers to the *Tribune*. A liberal percentage will be allowed.

Select Miscellany.

A Bundling Scrape.

'Gossip,' in the New York *Dispatch* gives the following description of "A Bundling Scrape:"

I havn't a word to say against Jones, not I; nor against Brown, either; but if you wish to see a real character just get acquainted with our Smith. Oh, I promise you he is an "old." He is one of the direct descendants of the immortal John, who 'fit, bled and died' more for his country, perhaps, than any other boy or man of his size. The fact is, while a boy, he was always fighting and bleeding in view of which fact you will be surprised to learn that he always was and still is the veriest coward in the presence of a woman.

Smith's roosting dormitory is just two rooms from ours, and it is curious to hear him lock the door at night, then put a table before it, then a chair on top of that again, for fear, I suppose, that some female somnambulist might take it in her head to give him a call.

Bless me, how red he gets in the face, when we speak to him. Why, the young woman who helps the family with the housework, (they don't keep a servant,) is almost afraid to ask him for buttons, when she needs them, to put on the bosom of his shirt, and when she takes up to him his clean clothes, she has to wrap the shirts up in a paper.

Poor Smith, it makes one melancholy to think of it. I don't suppose he ever dreams of such a thing as marrying—in fact, I don't believe he could entertain such a tho't and keep his balance. I asked him one day if he had always been so, and his reply was that he got awfully frightened once by a nice young woman, after which experience he fought shy of the whole tribe. After trying in vain to reason him out of his foolish prejudice, I insisted upon his relating to me the incident which had so steeled him against the softer sex.

'Well,' said he at length, with a sigh, "if I must, but you are the only one to whom I would relate the story, for you dont belong to the 'Prunes and Prism' school." 'Thank-ee, sir,' I replied—'proceed, if you please—I am all attention!' 'Well,' he continued, 'it is about three years since a chum of mine asked me to accompany him just back of B——, in the State of New Jersey, to a quilting frolic. Now, I had always entertained a particular aversion to Jersey mud, Jersey lightning and Jersey dogs, but as I had never been present at an assemblage of Jersey belles, and as a quilting frolic was something which I had often heard my mother —heaven bless her!—tell about, I determined to know what it was by personal experience. We reached the scene of action in good time, assisted in tearing the quilt from the frame and throwing it over a grist of plump girls, thereby disarranging their hair and other fixins awfully.—This fun lasted some time, and I shouldn't wonder if in the course of it, they all got kissed. After a while the fiddler came, and we went into dancing with a will, and an understanding also. Phew! the sweat streamed down our faces, and we had nearly shook ourselves out of our trousers—hooks and eyes were lying around loose, and nearly every girl was backing herself up to some other girl to get pinned up. That was what they called a 'square eight.'—We got along amazingly, and in the course of the evening I managed to get pretty thick with a certain fair, red cheeked, roguish-eyed damsel, who didn't need any wadding to bring her into proper shape—her hand was fat and warm as a young rabbit—and I felt all over as though briars were sticking in me when I took hold of it to chasse her around and dos-a-dos her back.

After the performance was concluded, I got into a corner with the beauty, and began sparking her like fun. I likened her to a goddess, and told her that to gain her love I would go in my shirt-tail to the ends of the earth. Well, she kinder puckered up her mouth, and looking at me, said:

'Look-a-here, Yorker, have you a mind to go home with me to-night?'

'Oh, my charming, divine Hebe, returned I, that would be too much bliss!'

'Psha!' replied she, 'no bliss at all about it. Kin you bundle, say?'

'Bundle!' said I somewhat puzzled, 'I don't know as I ever tried it. Is it hard to do?'

'Hard!' returned she with a merry grin, 'well, no—not as I knows on—most young fellers finds it easy enough."

'Well said I, 's'pose you can learn me, can't you?'

'Why yes,' she replied, 'but 'pears to me, if you ain't pokin' sticks at me, you are behind the age. Don't they bundle in York!'

'I never heard that they did,' I answered, 'and to tell you the truth, I really don't know what the points are.'

'Well,' said she, 'never mind—if you are goin' to hook on to me when we go home, jest mind your eye and I'll learn you how to bundle.'

Well, to make a long story short, just before daylight, my charmer and I went dashing home in great style. On arriving there, I went in, of course, and she took me in a square room, where was a fire and a bed. Holy Moses! thought I, into whose hands have I fallen?' It was her bed room! Oh, Eve, Eve, you horrible first apple eater! how the sex goes to it naturally! Well, she got off her hat and sat down to warm her feet. After a while she fixed her eyes on me, and said in a tone of mingled wonder and dissatisfaction?

'What in the name of all that's natral, are you about Yorker? Are you goin' to sit gawkin' there all night—say? Off with them ere muddy boots, to wonst, and git ready to puddle!'

'Why,' said I, totally unable to understand her, 'must I take off my boots before I can puddle?'

'Why, thunderation, yes yer great skeert calf,' she exclaimed, 'you cant get in bed with your boots on can you?'

'Bed,' queried I, beginning to grow alarmed, 'excuse me, I don't understand you. I'd rather not bundle, if it's all the same to you. I ain't well. I—I want to go to York to-night the worst kind!'

'You do, hey?' said she snappishly, 'well if you stir one peg out of this ere shantee t ll you've bundled, I'll set the dogs on you. Come, get ready to bundle! Off with them boots or it will be wuss for you!'

'Oh, heavens, spare me my dear young lady!' I exclaimed.

'I wont, said she, 'do you 'spose I'm a goin' to be fooled that way? Everybody does it in Jarsey, and I know they do it in York, too. You cant cheat me, you mean cuss! mebbey they call it some other name, though!'

Well, I had to take off my boots, and then she insisted on my getting in bed with her. She was already there.

'Oh Lord!' exclaimed I, 'I must go out! I am dreadful sick at the stomach! I don't want to bundle? I told you I didn't know how!'

She got mad as a turkey cock, and jumping out of bed she opened the door and called for 'Bouncer' and 'Wolf,' and I made a break for the door. I was in my socks, but I flew over the soil like the wind. The dogs were so close that I could feel their teeth in imagination. Presently one seized a skirt of my coat, and off it came, of course. I never slackened my speed, but shortly afterwards a mouthful of pantaloons was seized, and, oh! horror! that went the way of my coat tail. By this time the demon was aroused within me and I yelled like an Indian, and turning like a hunted stag, I stood at bay, grappled with the nearest brute, and we came to the mud together. Over and over we went, growling, swearing, tearing and ripping. Bunches of dog-hair and shreds of miscellaneous clothing were all mixed up together, and just as I had given up to die, a friendly knife was put into the brute's throat by my chum, who had opportunely come along from some house where he had been bundling. We quickly dispatched the other dog, and then in an awful plight I had to walk three miles, 'weak and wounded, sick and sore,' before we got to a place of shelter. I never went back. I was determined not to encounter the Jersey Venus again, and never did. Since that time I have been more fearful of a woman than of a she bear robbed of her cubs. It dosn't make a bit of difference where they hail from, they are all alike. I am afraid of them all. Sometimes when I think of a married life, and wonder if ever I will come to that, an awful sound smites my ear, and bundle drives it out of my mind altogether.

'Well, Smith,' said I, 'I thank you for your narrative, but you might have better luck the next time.' 'Never!' exclaimed he emphatically, and he left the room.

A SHARP HOOSIER.—Oliver H. Smith gives this incident in the early history of Indiana: At the Rush Circuit Court my friend Judge Perry bargained for a pony for $25 to be delivered the next day, on a credit of six months. The man came with the pony, but required security of the judge for $25. The judge drew the note at the top of a sheet of foolscap, and signed it. I signed it; James Raridan signed it and handed it on, and on it went from lawyer to lawyer around the bar, till some twenty of us had signed it. I then handed it up to the Court, and the three judges put their names to it. Judge Perry presented it to the man he had bought the pony of, but he promptly refused it, saying: 'Don't you think I am a fool to let you get the Court and all the lawyers on your side? I see you intend to cheat me out of my pony.' Up he jumped, mounted the pony, and started for home at full gallop.

☞ 'Julius, what part ob de seremonies do de ladies most admire when dey go to de church?'

'Well Pompey, I can't tell what datis; can you tell?'

'Why, yes, niggar—don't you see dey observe de *hive*?'

☞ The most mischievous liars are those who keep just on the verge of truth.

Frightening Children.

We know of nothing more reprehensible, nothing more dangerous and injurious, than the practice of frightening children in the nursery, at the family fireside, and in the social circle, by relating to them ghost stories, goblin tales, and witchcraft fictions. They receive painful impressions from which their nervous system does not recover for years, perhaps not during their whole lives.

Children and young folks have generally great curiosity in relation to these tales of the imagination, especially when they are attended by some gossipping nurse, whose head, being empty of good sense, has been filled brim full of ghost legends and black letter recollections. We happen to know something about this matter by a most unhappy and painful experience. We know what melancholy effects attend these revelations of goblins and ghosts in the nursery. We have even now, while we write, a dim, shuddering recollection of these appalling horrors, which makes the blood chill, creep and curdle about the heart—even after the finger of time has planted furrows on the brow, and sown silver threads in the hair. It was the practice of a full grown boy of nineteen or twenty years of age, (we are certain he never became a *man*) to take the writer upon his knee (then three or four years old,) when the twilight was gradually fading into darkness, veil his face with a black handkerchief, and then, for our especial edification, affirm that he was the unmentionable personage who is supposed to be no better than he should be. Then would follow a long dissertation upon witches, ghosts, hobgoblins, a whole family of horrible monstrosites, by way of giving tone to the infantile imagination. The lessons operated upon the young mind like a potent spell. Soon it became as much as the life was worth to attempt to cross a dark entry after nightfall. If left alone in a sleeping apartment, the avenue to the eyes was carefully barricaded by the pillow and bed-clothes; there, panting, trembling, shivering, huge drops of cold perspiration oozing out at every pore, the writer lay a full believer in all monstrous shapes and terrible forms, the shuddering victim of a most cruel delusion, at times but a single removal from a maniac

Those terrible night time solitudes, the darkness peopled by the imagination with spectres the most terrific, how vividly do they come back, even now in the days of maturer judgment and riper reason, never to be erased from the recollection by the hand of time! If there is a worse condition upon earth than that into which this monstrous superstition plunges an imaginative child, we have no conception of its curdling horrors. Never to lay the head upon the pillow, from the time it is two or three years of age, until, seven, eight or ten, without feeling the most perfect assurance in its own mind of realizing its own prophecy, and seeing some hideous spectre before morning! This is the purgatory of early, innocent and otherwise happy childhood.

These midnight horrors haunt the imagination even to old age. They may lose somewhat of their painful vividness, their appalling distinctness—something of their curdling horror, so potent in its mystery and so terrific even in its impossibility—but these terrors linger in the imagination still, ready to be called up in every suspicious spot, awakened in every solitude, in spite of all the judgment can do or the reason can urge. For a moment, at certain times, even to old age, the heart will throb with painful distinctness, the hair will become perpendicular, and a disagreeable shudder will make the blood cold in the veins, even when manhood has reached its prime. To be sure the judgment soon dispels these unfounded fears, but they will haunt the victim at times to his dying day. These are some of the painfully deleterious effects of frightening children in the early season of their growth. How important is it, that parents should guard them against these groundless terrors, exciting the early imagination, and chaining the trembling victim to the indescribable agony of this nervous bondage for all its future life.

NON CONDUCTORS.—Colonel Jones is a gentleman and a wit. The other day he was showing the town to some ladies from the steeple of the Court-House. One of these asking him why the lightning-rod, where it was attached to the building for support, was incased in a piece of horn, the Colonel replied that horn was a non-conductor. 'Oh, indeed!' says the lady; 'I never knew that before.' 'To be sure,' says the Colonel. 'Have you never observed that when the boys have had a *horn* or two they *can't conduct* themselves properly?' The great height from the ground prevented the lady from fainting.

☞ 'I love to look upon a young man. There is a hidden potency concealed within his breast which charms and pains me.'

The daughter of a clergyman happening to find the above sentence at the close of her father's manuscript, as he had left it in his study, sat down and added:

"Them's my sentiments, exactly, pops—all but the pains."

Look out for the Bridge!—A Theatrical Incident.

Some years ago, the manager of a 'well regulated theatre' somewhere along the line of the Eric Canal, engaged a good looking and brisk young lady as supernumerary. It happened that the young lady in question had formerly officiated in some capacity as a 'hand' on board a canal boat, a fact which she was extremely anxious to conceal. She evinced much anxiety to master the details of her newly chosen profession, and soon exhibited a more than ordinary degree of comic talent. She was duly promoted, and in a short time became a general favorite with both manager and public.

One night she was announced to appear in a favorite part, and a couple of boatmen found their way into the pit, near the footlights, particularly anxious to see the new comedienne. The house was crowded, and after the subsidence of the general applause which greeted her appearance, one of the boatmen slapped his companion on the shoulder, and with an emphatic expletive, exclaimed loud enough to be heard over the house:

'Bill, I know that gal!'

'P'shaw!' said Bill, 'dry up.'

'But I'm d——d if I don't now, Bill. It's Sal Fluking, as sure as you're born. She's old Flukins' daughter that used to run the 'Injured Polly,' and she used to sail with him.'

'Tom,' said Bill, 'you're a fool, and if you don't stop your infernal clack, you'll get put out. Sal Flukins! You know a sight if you think that's her?'

Tom was silenced but not convinced.—He watched the actress in all her motions with intense interest, and ere long broke out again.

'I tell ye, Bill, that's her—I know 'tis. You can't fool me—I know too well!'

Bill, who was a good deal interested in the play, was out of all patience at this persistent interruption on the part of Tom. He gave him a tremendous nudge in the ribs with his elbow, as an emphatic hint to keep quiet.

Tom, without minding the admonition, said, 'you just wait, I'll fix her—keep your eye on her.'

Sure enough he did fix her. Watching his opportunity when the actress was deeply absorbed in her part he sung out in a voice which rung through the gallerics:

'Low Bridge!'

From force of habit the actress instantly and involuntarily ducked her head to avoid the anticipated collision. Down came the house with a perfect thunder of applause at this palpable 'hit,' high above which Tom's voice could be heard as he returned Bill's punch in the ribs with interest:

'Didn't I tell ye, old boy. I know' 'twas her. You can't fool me.'

HOW TO SETTLE AN ACCOUNT.—To settle coffee with an egg is an easy matter; but it is not exactly so easy to settle an old account, as a racy writer in Otsego county, New York, shows in this letter:

'Seldom have I been more amused than when, some two years ago, upon the North Fork of the Salmon river, in California, I overheard a conversation between an honest miner, named Riley, and one Mike Donnelly, a trader whom it seemed Riley was indebted some $50 to for provisions. Said Donnelly to Riley—

"You ought to pay this little bill, for you know I trusted you when no other trader on the river would. Come, now I'll throw of half, if you'll pay the rest.

'Well, Mike,' said Riley, 'I'll be hanged if I'll allow you to be more liberal than I am. If you throw off one half I'll throw off the other!

'But that don't settle my account.'

'Then break an egg into it!' said Riley, and cooly walked off.

☞ The Marshall (Texas) *Republican* tells of an old negro, 'Hard,' who supplies that town with fuel:

'Hard' is really a good looking customer and understands the science of loading a wagon to the best advantage. Recently, we were struck with admiration at one of his conical piles, through the interstices of which a large, fat man might have crawled with ease and safety.

'Hard,' said we, 'you certainly possess the talent for loading a wagon.'

Old Hard's eyes twinkled with delight at the compliment, and surveying with pleasure his loaded wagon, he turned to us, exposing his ivories, and replied.

'Oh, yes, massa, but da's no use habin a talon 'less it pays well.

A PRAYER FOR THE TIMES.—Lord save me from the sinfulness of my own heart.

Save me from false doctrines, false authorities and bigotries of sectionalism, and life.

Save me from the ignorance, folly and iniquity of fashionable religion.

Save me from the over valuation of anything because it is popular!

Save me from all social and political corruptions and delusions!

Help me to live and die a faithful, holy and happy Christian.

'GOT HIM FOUL.'—Aunt Jenny was a very exemplary colored woman, and always felt and showed much concern for the future welfare of her numerous children. But little Nicholas had so much of the 'Old Nick' in him, that, with all her persuasions and threats, she could not bring him into the good way of saying his prayers. One afternoon Aunt Jenny was startled by hearing loud cries from the barn yard—'O Lord!' and, hastening out, she saw young Nick pinned to the fence with the horns of a cow, one on each side of him, and now and then she would let him out, but only to 'bunt' him back again. Nick kept up his cries—'O Lord!' and all the louder when he saw his mother coming. But she didn't interfere.—She stopped, took a good look, set her arms a kimbo, and sang out, 'Oh yes? you's mighty willin' to call on de Lord now you's got into trubul; but you couldn't pray wid your muder like a 'spectable chile!' And turning to the kitchen she left Nick to the tender mercies of the cow, being quite sure, however, that no serious harm would come to him.

PROFITS OF TOBACCO.—There are fifty-six manufacturers of the staple in Richmond, whose united capital amounts to four or five millions of dollars. More tobacco is raised in Virginia, and opened, inspected and sold in this city, than perhaps in any one place in the United States. It is here that the choicest specimens of the weed assumes the shape which commends it to the regard of devoted chewers everywhere. Tobacco is put up in as many different ways almost as there are chewers. There is as much difference between the ideas of the Yankee and Southerner on this question of taste, as there is on any other matter. The former likes the 'pig-tail' plentifully sweetened and liquoriced to a degree; the latter, the less sweetning you put in, the better the tobacco. Buyers congregate here, who purchase for all parts of the globe. Foreign governments are supplied by agents who reside here for that purpose. With many citizens the road to wealth has been via tobacco.—*Richmond South.*

☞ At a late ball in Baltimore a gentleman (probably one of the codfish aristocracy,) having danced with a young lady whose attractions, both personal and conversational, seemed to have made an impression on his sensibilities, asked to have the pleasure of seeing her on the following evening.

'Why, no sir,' replied the fair one.—'I shall be engaged on to-morrow evening; but I'll tell you when you can see me.'

'I shall be most happy,' exclaimed the stricken swain.

'Well, on Saturday,' resumed the lady, 'you can see me at the foot of Marsh's market, selling cabbage.'

☞ Two darkies, one a Baptist, the other a Universalist, got into a controversy about the origin of man. The Baptist said God made Adam out of clay, squeezed it into the right shape, set it up agin de fence to dry, and afterwards blowed breff into the body.

'Stop!' said the Universalist. 'You say dat de fust man eber made?'

'Sartin!' said the Baptist darkey.

'Well den, jest tell a feller whar dat are fence come from?'

'Hush!' said the other darkey, 'questions like dat must not be axed; dey would spile all de theology in de world.'

A VALUABLE CANDLESTICK.—An Irish 'gintleman,' had occasion to visit the South sometime since. When he returned, he remarked to a friend that the Southern people were very extravagant. Upon being asked why so, he remarked that where he staid, they had *a candlestick worth eleven hundred dollars.*

'Why, how in the world could it cost that much?' inquired the friend.

'Och, be gorry! it was nothin' more'n a *big nager* fellow, a holdin' a torch for us to eat by.'

NOBLE SENTIMENTS.—Condemn no man for not thinking as you think. Let every one enjoy the full and free liberty of thinking for himself. Let every man uso his own judgment, since every man must give an account of himself to God. Abhor every approach, in any kind of degree, to the spirit of persecution. If you cannot reason or persuade a man into the truth, never attempt to force him into it. If love will not compel him, leave him to God the Judge of all.

☞ Toast at a surprise party, February 2, 1858: 'Here's to the man who swears, steals and lies—swears off from drinking, steals away from bad company, and lies in an honest bed.'

☞ The strongest kind of a hint—a young lady asking a gentleman to see if one of her rings will go on his little finger.

☞ An old bachelor's definition of love—a little sighing, a little crying, a little dying, and a great deal of lying.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1858.

☞ Where parties are unknown to us, our rule for advertising is to require payment in advance, or a guarantee from known persons. It is therefore useless for all such to send us advertisements offering to pay at the end of three or six months. Where advertisements are accompanied with the money, whether one, five or ten dollars, we will give the advertiser the full benefit of cash rates.

Another Triumph.

We last week published the glorious news that the National House of Representatives had adopted the Montgomery-Crittenden Amendment by a handsome majority of eight, and that the Senate had refused to entertain the amendment. This week we have another triumph to chronicle, of anything more glorious than the former. On Thursday last the Kansas question again came up in the House.—Mr. Montgomery promptly moved that the House adhere to its amendment, and Mr. Grow, cut off all discussion by moving the previous question. Mr. Seward of Georgia, moved to recede from the amendment. At this juncture Mr. English, of Indiana, fearful perhaps of the consequences if Mr. Montgomery's motion was put, begged him to withdraw it, but that gentleman firmly refused. For a time considerable confusion prevailed, many of the members being fearful of the result of the vote. At last however the vote was taken on Mr. Montgomery's motion to adhere, and resulted in the affirmative—yeas 119, nays 111.—This result is substantially the same as that on the adoption of the bill, a week ago, with the exception that Mr. Marshall and Mr. Bowie, were paired off. It is however a greater triumph than at first, as on the present occasion then was more danger of the luke-warm supporters of the amendment backing down.

Thus has truth and justice again triumphed over contemplated fraud, in spite of executive dictation and executive patronage. This triumph has been achieved only by dint of hard fighting on the part of that noble band of 120. It must have been a hard, very hard struggle for some of them to resist the blandishments of the executive and his offers of power and patronage, more appropriately termed plunder—but supported and encouraged, if not actually goaded on by an unmistakable and irresistible public sentiment, they have nobly come through the fray without losing one of their number. Well done gallant representatives. Ye deserve all praise.—The responsibility now devolves on the Senate, which body was to take up the question yesterday. If it refuses again to do justice to injured Kansas, let the people mark the traitors and treat them hereafter as they deserve. But whatever the Senate may do we hope the gallant 120 of the House will remain firm, and refuse all compromises, or conferences. To shrink now is to court a political death and unending infamy.

P. S. The Senate has asked for a committe of conference. We hope the House will refuse.

LITTELL'S LIVING AGE.—We are in receipt of the first copy of this old and choice periodical which has been much enlarged and beautified in form. It is a publication of peculiar character and value, conveying a species of literature not elsewhere to be obtained in the same compass—containing the *creme de la creme* of cotemporary literature—extracts of the best pieces which appear in all the first class reviews, magazines, and publications of the day, both in Europe and in the United States. It has just entered upon a new series, commencing with the 3d of this month, and has been enlarged to eighty pages weekly. The work has long enjoyed a deservedly high reputation as a compendium of the best selected literature of the times, and wears, withal, a bright and cheerful appearance. A man who invests six dollars in a year's subscription to the *Living Age*, will, at the end of it, be in possession of 4,160 double pages of well printed, carefully selected and valuable reading matter.

☞ Peterson's Magazine for May, which is already on our table, is one of the richest numbers yet published. The steel engraving of "The Detected Truant," is superb; the colored fashion plates are second to none, and the various patterns of crochet and needle-work are just suited to the taste of the ladies. The literary matter is of the first quality. Send for Peterson, ladies, if you wish a good and cheap Ladies' Magazine. Price, $2,00 per annum. C. J. Peterson, Philadelphia.

Support Your Paper.

What paper? Why, the local paper of your town or country, says the Erie *Dispatch*. Why do we find that every new town, of the hundreds springing up around us, make it a *sine qua non* to plant a press in their midst the first thing they do?—It is because the sagacious business man of eastern marts, who is leading these enterprises, knows well the power of the press and its invaluable services in building up and developing country. Its light is to the business world what the sun is to our social system. Let it languish and emit a sickly ray, and you languish with it. Support it well. Give to your paper strength and vigor, and it imparts to your business a corresponding life and vitality.

It pays your back ten fold for all your patronage. Why, then, would you be miserly in your favors of patronage? Why will you scratch your head when asked to advertise? and say, "I'll think about it." Think about it, you old fogy you! it is no question to consider, "But I can't afford it." You can't? Then you ought to stop business forthwith. A man who can't afford to advertise, can't afford to do business. That's a true thing, and the world is smart enough to know it. Mark what we say, and test the truth of what we tell you in our own business.

Then, support your paper. It is nothing but your duty as a business man in a community where the good and prosperity of all is a common cause.

Distinguished Death.

Hon. Thomas H. Benton familiarly known as "Old Bullion" is no more, having peacefully departed from this life, about 7½ o'clock on Saturday morning last. His last connected words were uttered about 2 o'clock in the morning, when R. Taylor Jacob his son-in-law asked him how he felt, to which he faintly whispered, "Comfortable and content." During the last few days of his illness he repeatedly expressed himself opposed to the Lecompton swindle and rejoiced greatly on hearing that the House had voted to adhere to the Montgomery-Crittenden amendment. Thus has departed the last of the statesmen, who occupied a conspicuous position in the U. S. Senate, during the last thirty years. The gallant old Roman who flourished with Calhoun, Clay and Webster, during the Augustan age of the Republic, has now followed them to the Spirit land. His body has been taken to St. Louis for burial. Green be the sod upon his breast.

PURCHASE OF MOUNT VERNON.—The Philadelphia *Argus* says that the Ladies' Mount Vernon Association, chartered at the late session of the Virginia Legislature, has effected the purchase of the home of Washington, and the title deeds were passed on the 6th inst., from John A. Washington, Esq., in consideration of $18,000 paid down, and the balance, $182,000 in three equal payments of one, two and three years—the latter sum is expected to be raised by the Masonic fraternity. The Free Masons of Pennsylvania will cheerfully contribute their share of the amount necessary to be raised.

PAY UP.—We must again request our delinquent patrons who owe us for subscription and job work, prior to 1st February, to pay up immediately. We have several heavy payments to make and must have the wherewithall to make them with. We are tired of dunning. We *must* have money, peacably if we can, but at any rate must have it. "A word to the wise &c."

☞ Godey's Lady's Book for May is already on our table. We have so exhausted our stock of commendation that we are at a loss for anything to say in regard to it. However we will say that it is a capital number, and ought to be in the hands of every lady in the country, $3 per year. Address L. A. Godey, Philadelphia.

☞ The May number of Graham's Magazine has been received. It is a treasure and we don't wonder that its circulation has more than doubled in a year. The fact is Leland knows how to unite the interesting, amusing and instructive. Terms $3 a year. Address Watson and Co., Phila.

REGISTRY LAW.—On Saturday morning last the Senate of New York passed the Voters' Registry Bill, by a vote of 18 yeas to 14 nays. The bill provides for the better protection of the ballot box, and was defeated a few days since in the Assembly. The Democratic members almost to a man opposed it.

☞ The Pittsburgh & Erie Railroad bill, with the objectionable feature stricken out, has been signed by the Governor—also the bill for the erection of a new county to be called HIMROD, out of the counties of Warren, Crawford and Erie.

JERSEY SHORE BANK.—We were in error, in classing this institution among the swindling wild-cat concerns, owned and controlled by the Buffalo "Kiters." We cheerfully make the correction. The Jersey Shore Bank is as sound an institution as there is in the State, and its officers are men of wealth and character.—We were led into making the mistake by a young friend, who ought to be posted on Banks and banking matters. In the future we shall be more chary. We hope friend Dunham is now satisfied.

PEN AND SCISSORS.

☞ Died out—The *bravery* of the Bennington hands.

☞ A Fizzle—Their contemplated "strike."

☞ "Much"—The rain on Monday and Tuesday last. *Raytther* cold to be agreeable.

☞ On a "Strike"—The hands at the Cambria Rolling Mill and Furnaces.

☞ Lowell has over nineteen miles of girls endwise.

☞ An honest man is the noblest work of God; but a woman is the prettiest.

☞ The Legislature has refused to charter the Mifflin Bank, to be located at Lewistown.

☞ An Empty Sound—That of a railway whistle when you are just too late for the train.

☞ The young lady who was "lost in thought" has been found. She was "hugging an idea," looking very much like a man.

☞ A pretty definition of a good wife—one who always takes care to have herself and dinner nicely dressed.

☞ Good News.—A new State prison is about to be built in Kansas. It ought to be the largest institution of the kind on the Continent.

☞ The Berlin (Wis.) *Courant* says a load of hay judged to weigh a ton, was sold in that city for *eighty cents*. We call that cheap.

☞ Gold is said to be discovered near Osceola, in Clark county, Iowa. Men "diggins" are averaging from two to five dollars per day.

☞ Everybody should have his head, his heart, and hand educated. Let this truth never be forgotten.

☞ The physical condition of Senator Davis has became critical. He has lost the sight of one eye.

☞ On Saturday night week, two prisoners named Michael Bloom and Solomon Beckwith escaped from the Lewistown jail.

☞ Big Load—The Express Train Westward on Tuesday morning last contained over two hundred through passengers.

☞ Made its appearance—The first number of the "Tyrone Star." Hope it will have a better time than its predecessors.

☞ Well Armed—The "Fencibles," on Friday last. No wonder the "strikers" ran when they saw that *missile*. "*Swilly, willy, wink, kum, poom.*"

☞ Upon the marriage of Miss *Wheat*, of Virginia, an editor hoped that her path might be *flowery*, and that she might never be *thrashed* by her husband.

☞ A wag tells of a boarding house keeper, whose tea was so weak that it couldn't get up the spout of the tea-pot. There wasn't even sufficient *grounds* for complaint.

☞ "It is aisy enough," said Pat, "to build a chimney; you hold one brick up and put another one under it." A good many people undertake to build fortunes on this plan.

☞ An Old Book—A gentleman in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, has a Bible three hundred and twenty-seven years old. It was printed in Zurich, Switzerland, in 1531.

☞ "He that giveth to the poor lendeth to the Lord." He who payeth the printer his just dues layeth up treasures in Heaven—that of being an honest man. Bring on your dollars.

☞ "Steel your heart," said a considerate father to his son, "for you are now going among some fascinating girls." "I had much rather steal theirs," said the unpromising young man.

☞ Returned—That "Owl," only, however to be completely annihilated by his unfeeling owner. Poor fellow! what a victim of ingratitude.

☞ An old lady reading an account of the death of a distinguished lawyer, who was said to be the father of the New York bar, exclaimed —"Poor man! he had a dreadful bad set of children!"

☞ During the month of March 1,696 emigrants passed over the Pa. R. R., being 76 more than during the same month in 1857. The total number of emigrants passing over the road since the first of January, was 3,301.

☞ Will our friends of the New York *Mercury*, please forward the gold pen that was promised us.—*Clarion Banner.*

No! or if they do it will be found as worthless as the *Mercury* itself.

☞ Fact—Do you not expend time enough each year, running after your neighbors' tools to pay for a complete outfit! Some men do, and exhaust the patience and respect of a good neighbor besides.

☞ We have heard of a good many kinds of cough drops, but of none that cures as quick as the kind called "Broderick Cough Drops."—They "dried up" Senator Slidell's cough in less than a minute.

☞ A poor sailor, wrecked on an unknown coast, wandered about in momentary apprehension of being seized by savages, when he suddenly came in sight of a gallows. "Ah," said he, "I'm in a civilized country."

☞ It is expected that the War Department will shortly order a change of the uniform of the army generally, and fix upon one in accordance with the recommendation of a board of examiners recently appointed for that purpose

☞ Ellen Graham of Philadelphia, has obtained a verdict of two thousand dollars against a young man, named William Tolman, who promised to marry her and subsequently refused. Served him right. He had no business to trifle with Ellen's affections.

☞ A Frightful Caution—Prentice, of the Louisville *Journal*, says:—"A lady correspondent, who professes to be terrified at the indelicacy of our paper, threatens for the future to set her foot on every copy she sees. She had better not. Our paper has it's in it."

☞ Robert J. Griffin, who was arrested at Paris, Ky., a few days ago, and confined in the Bourbon county jail, to await trial on a charge of having been engaged in setting fire to barns in that vicinity, was taken out of jail at 5 o'clock on Monday morning by a mob, and hung.

☞ Prentice, of the Louisville *Journal*, and Bennett, of the New York *Herald*, are evidently well acquainted with each other. The former says the latter is a "scoundrel of the first water," to which the latter retorts that the former is a "scoundrel of the first brandy and water."

☞ A magnificent Libel Suit has been instituted by Fernando Wood, late Mayor of New York, against the proprietors of the New York *Tribune*. The case will contain *seven hundred and fifty distinct libels!* There's work for the lawyers for years to come. Fernando takes defeat to heart.

☞ A Good Joke.—The Legislature of Texas, lately adjourned, passed an act for calling a southern convention, and appropriating ten thousand dollars out of *any money in the treasury*, to defray expenses, in the event of a rejection of the Lecompton Constitution by Congress. Thus it is proposed to take initiatory steps for disunion. The joke of the whole thing lies in the fact that there *is not a cent in the treasury!* It is entirely bankrupt.

☞ P. P. & S. of the *Standard* says that there is a letter in the Vincennes Post office, addressed "to the biggest fool in town," and the post master don't know who to give it to, and suggests that we move out, there and lift it. Couldn't think of such a thing, as long as you are alive. 'Twould be robbing you of laurels justly earned by your superior qualifications in that line, perfected by age and experience.

☞ "Slem is a genius—and an Ante-Lecompton one at that. The other day after reading of the second defeat of Mr. Buchanan's pet project, the Lecompton swindle, in Congress, we overheard him singing the following parody:

When James Buchanan stoops to folly,
And finds too late that friends betray,
What charm can soothe his melancholy,
What art can wash his guilt away?
The only way to make amends,
To hide his shame from every eye,
To give repentance to his friends
And wring their bosoms—is to die.

THE CAPTIVATED TURK.—It is reported that, since his arrival in this country, on a certain occasion, a lady was admiring an elegant Cashmere shawl worn by the Turkish admiral. He gallantly took it from his shoulders, and laid it upon her own to witness its effect, or perhaps, momentarily to gratify her vanity. The shawl was a magnificent one, costing $4,000 or $5,000. Imagine the surprise of the admiral, when she blushingly curtsied to him, and moved gracefully off with the coveted shawl as—*a present!*

☞ Spicy extract from the debate in Senate on Monday night:

Mr. Wade.—When old Moses enticed a whole nation of slaves to run away, no doubt he was denounced by Pharaoh and the chivalry of Egypt as a furious Abolitionist, but there were doughfaces then as now. There was some who preferred Slavery in Egypt to freedom in Canaan, and those he supposed would be called, "National men,'—not Northern men with Southern principles," but "Israelites with Egyptian principles."

Letter from Utah.

CAMP SCOTT, FEB. 26, 1858.

FRIEND J:—Well, here we are yet, although Madame Rumor says we will soon leave camp, but as Col. Johnston minds his own business, no one knows when we will leave. Winter has broke—at least so say the mountaineers, and they are men who should know. It did actually rain, on the morning of the 16th, something it never does in this country except in the spring, after winter is past. However, we are still favored with snow-squalls about tri-weekly, but this is not an uncommon occurrence in July up in this latitude. To-day it is as pleasant as May is in the States.

What the intentions of the Mormons are is not exactly known. Some think the leaders will leave, and others say they will go to the mountains and cut off trains and mails, rob passengers, &c. The latter supposition I think most likely, as it will just suit Mormons: it don't come in contact with either their consciences or religion. One thing is certain and that is they can't all leave, and even if it were possible for all to leave, they can't take the Territory with them, and it would soon be filled up by others.

They do things up in a systematic manner.—If there is a man in their midst who is not considered the "Simon pure," a vote is immediately taken and the poor devil disposed of in less time than John Halfpenny could drink a glass of cognac. If any attempts to leave the country, who are not sound on the "goose question," the "destroying angels" overtake them before they get out of the settlement.

Conjecture is rife as to what course we will take in going to Salt Lake. It is only known by a few. By the direct course from here it is 114 miles, but Echo canon, which is on this route is impassable. If we go by Soda Springs, which is about 200 miles, we can avoid all bad canons and have space enough for Phelp's bull-dogs to speak for us, if necessity requires it.

We have a fine battalion of volunteers in the command, composed of teamsters, &c. Col. McGraw, of Pennsylvania, commands one company. There are about 3000 effective men in the camp and only one woman. By the time you receive this, we will be away from this place, but I can not tell you where our lot will fall, all things indicate an early start towards Salt Lake. The greater portion of the 2d Dragoons, under Col. Cook, are encamped on Henry's Fork, about 55 miles east of this place.—They will move on to this place soon, when all will be ready to march at a moment's warning.

The mail between this place and the States is a public nuisance. It gets through from the States about once in three months, but it can't be otherwise, as the price received for carrying it wont buy sufficient stock for the road.

Grass is getting pretty good again, which is a considerable item with us as we have no grain. Goods sell at enormous prices in this region, although it costs something to get them here, $30 per hundred is asked by freighters for hauling. We live on flour, beef and coffee. The Beef is tough, dry and poor.

I have nothing more to communicate at present—will give you something more interesting the next time. Yours

S. N. HENRY.

Execution of Anderson and Richards.

Yesterday the negroes, Alexander Anderson and Henry Richards, convicted of the murder of Mrs. Garber and Mrs. Ream, expiated their crime on the gallows, at Lancaster.

The prisoners, at an early hour in the morning were making their final preparations for the awful moment, and were spending their few last minutes with their spiritual advisers.

Anderson was a tall, intelligent-looking mulatto, about forty years of age, with long, black, curly hair and whiskers, and exhibiting the most contrition of the two for the murder. He wrote a confession of his crime and a history of his life, which, with the circumstances of the murder and an account of his execution, is published by Mr. H. A. Rockafield, of Lancaster, for the benefit of Anderson's wife and children. The volume is illustrated with portraits of Richards and Anderson.

Richards was younger than Anderson, smooth-faced, short and stout. He was also blacker than his companion. He told different and contradictory stories about his connection with the murder, and generally endeavored to fasten the bloody deed on Anderson. It was only after long and tedious endeavors on the part of his clerical friends that he at last confessed to his share in the horrid deed.

The morbid curiosity to see the execution was intense. No houses within the vicinity of the jail were high enough to overlook the walls, but some Yankees had erected a platform on two or three tree-tops, capable of accommodating some hundreds of spectators. This stand was rented out to curious individuals at a dollar a head, and, long before the hour of execution, was crowded to excess by a number of males, and a small number of *females*! One or two other rickety contrivances were erected, and rented out at exhorbitant prices. The yard leading to the main entrance was crowded by a large number of spectators, eagerly peering through the iron gratings. The night previous to the execution both convicts received the holy communion.

Anderson was awake all night, engaged in devotional exercises: but Richards slept a little. In the morning they dressed themselves for their execution, Anderson in white pants and plain white shirt, and Richards in white pants, shirt and white roundabout, with white gloves.

An affecting scene occurred during the morning, which drew tears from the eyes of many a stern, strong man. This was Anderson's last meeting with his wife and family.

After Anderson was notified that his last hour had arrived, he thanked the sheriff for all his kindness, and after a short interview with Mr. Garber, Mr. Ream, and his father-in-law, prepared to die.

The death-warrant of Governor Packer authorized the execution to take place between the hours of of ten and two o'clock. The sheriff was disposed to execute them at twelve, and so stated to the prisoners. But they declared their anxiety to pass through the dread ordeal with as little delay as possible, and accordingly fixed the hour at eleven, or as soon after as possible. A little previous all the visitors and friends of the condemned withdrew, and their last half-hour was spent in close communion with their spiritual advisers. Their demeanor was marked and characteristic. Anderson was calm, composed, and resigned.

Richards also was calm and resigned.

The final preparations all being made, the prisoners proceeded to the gallows.

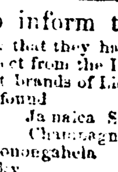
They ascended the stairs with a firm step, and by direction of the sheriff knelt down in their respective positions, immediately under the hooks which were to receive the fatal cords.

After hymn and prayer by Anderson, and the benediction by a clergyman, the cap was adjusted. At twenty-five minutes before twelve the sheriff pulled the cord attached to the lever, and the platform fell instantly and noiselessly, leaving the victims hanging in mid-air. Anderson did not even struggle or perceptibly move.—Richards seemed to die harder.

A few minutes after twelve, Dr. Henry Carpenter and Dr. Berg, the sheriff's physicians, pronounced the convicts dead, and their bodies were lowered into their coffins which were placed in a wagon and drawn to the Poor House burying ground, followed by four or five hundred persons, including the family of Anderson.

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CAUTION.—Whereas my wife ELIZA has left my bed and board, without any just cause or provocation, this is to caution all persons from harboring or trusting her on my account, as I will pay no debts of her contracting. OLIVER TAYLOR.
Altoona, April 1, 1858-3t.

DISSOLUTION.—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned has been dissolved by mutual consent.
MORRIS MURPHY.
Antes tp., April 1, 1858-3t*] AUGUSTUS KERRIN.

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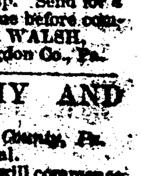
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ST. PAUL, January 1, 1856.
PROF. O. J. WOOD—*Dear Sir*:—Unsolicited, I send you this certificate. After being nearly bald for a long time and having tried all the hair restoratives extent, and having no faith in any, I was induced, on hearing of yours, to give it a trial. I placed myself in the hands of a barber, and had my head rubbed with a good stiff brush, and the restorative then applied and well rubbed in, till the scalp was aglow. This I repeated every morning, and in three weeks the young hair appeared and grew rapidly from August last till the present time, and is now thick, black and strong—soft and pleasant to the touch; whereas, before, it was harsh and wiry, what little there was of it, and that little was disappearing very rapidly. I still use your Restorative about twice a week, and shall soon have a good and perfect crop of hair. Now I had read all these things—and who has not? but have not seen hitherto any case where any person's hair was really benefitted by any of the hair tonic, etc., of the day; and it really gives me pleasure to record the result of my experience. I have recommended your preparation to others, and it already has a large and general sale throughout the Territory. The people here know its effects and have confidence in it. The supply you sent us as wholesale agents for the Territory, is nearly exhausted, and daily inquiries are made for it. You deserve credit for your discovery, and I, for one, return you my thanks for the benefit it has done me, for I certainly had despaired long ago of effecting any such result. Yours, hastily.
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Respectfully yours, D. C. M. RUPP.
CARLYLE, Illinois, June 19, 1855.
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One dose taken at night loosens the bowels gently, and cures costiveness.
One dose taken after each meal will cure Dyspepsia.
One dose of two tea-spoonfuls will always relieve Sick Headache.
One bottle taken for female obstructions removes the cause of the disease, and makes a perfect cure.
Only one dose immediately relieves Cholic, while one dose often repeated is a sure cure for Cholera Morbus, and a sure preventative of Cholera.
One dose taken often will prevent the recurrence of billious attacks, while it relieves all painful feelings.
☞ One or two doses taken occasionally is one of the best remedies for cold ever known.
Thousands of cures of inflammation and weakness of the lungs have been cured by the Invigorator.
One dose taken a short time before eating gives vigor the appetite and makes food digest well.
One dose often repeated cures Diarrhœa in its worst forms, while summer and bowel complaints yield almost to the first dose.
One or two doses cures attacks caused by worms, while for worms in children, there is no surer, safer and speedier remedy in the world, as it never fails.
There is no exaggeration in these statements, they are plain and sober facts, that we can give evidence to prove, while all who use it are giving their unanimous testimony in its favor.
We wish all who are sick and debilitated to try this remedy, and test it thoroughly, and any who are not benefited by its use we should like to hear from, as we have yet to hear from the first person who has used a bottle of Invigorator without receiving benefit, for there are such astonishing medicinal virtues in it, that all, no matter how long they have been affected, if their complaint arises from a deranged liver, will be benefited, if not entirely cured.
Sanford & Co., Proprietors, 345 Broadway, New York.—Dr. G. H. Keyser, Druggists, No. 140 Wood Street, Pittsburg, Wholesale Agent. For sale by G. W. KESSLER, Druggist, Altoona. April 2, '57-1y

THE NEW ROCHELLE OR LAWTON BLACKBERRY.
Having made arrangements with Rev. J. Knox for a supply of Plants of this valuable Blackberry, 20,000 strong, thrifty plants are offered at the following prices:

1000 plants		$125.00	25 plants		$4,10
500	"	65.00	12	"	3,00
250	"	36.00	6	"	1,75
100	"	15.00	3	"	1,00
50	"	8.00	1	"	,50

The "Springfield Republican," of Massachusetts, says: "It is the Queen of all berries, of most magnificent proportions, exquisite flavor and delicate texture."
Extract from the proceedings of the American Pomological Society, held in Boston:
Mr. CABOT, of Mass. "I wish to inquire about the New Rochelle Blackberry."
Rev. WM. CLIFT, of Stonington, states: "The New Rochelle Blackberry has fruited with me for the first time this season; *it fulfills all its promises, which is all that need be said of it*. Coming just after Raspberries, it prolongs the season of small fruits a month or more, and it is a great acquisition. It deserves a place in every garden."
Mr. PINE, of New York. "It is the most remarkable acquisition; very sweet and delicious indeed, and the hardiest plant possible."
Mr. MAURICE, of New York. "It is very large, tender and delicious. I think it is the greatest acquisition we have had."
Mr. CLARK, of Conn. "I never saw anything more productive."
Mr. SAUL, of New York, "I can corroborate what others have said."
Mr. PRINCE, of New York. "It is a most remarkable acquisition of the Blackberry kind—very sweet and delicious indeed; a great bearer, and the hardiest plant possible."
GEO. GABRIEL, Esq., of Stonington, Conn. "It has fruited with me for the first time this season. It fulfills all its promises, and deserves a place in every garden."
Mr Knox who has five acres in cultivation exhibited last season some of the fruit before the Pittsburgh Horticultural Society. The Pittsburgh Chronicle says: "Many of our citizens visited the rooms of the Society with a view of examining Mr. Knox's collection, and those who were fortunate enough to see it expressed their admiration in no measured terms." The Society awarded the exhibition a diploma.
Orders addressed to Rev. J. KNOX, or the subscriber, and accompanied with the cash, or a suitable reference where the parties are not known, will be filled in the order in which they are received.
NEWMAN'S THORNLESS BLACKBERRY PLANTS for sale at the same prices. JAMES WARDROP,
9-3t. 47 Fifth street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

THE CASSVILLE SEMINARY.—ONLY $22,50 PER QUARTER.

This School for Young Ladies and Gentlemen is probably the cheapest one of the kind in the country. The expenses for room rent, furniture, fuel, board and tuition in common English, are per quarter as above, or per year only $88.
Piano Music is only $5 per quarter. All the Languages and the Ornamentals are proportionally cheap. Send for a circular. Students are expected to notify me before coming. Address JOHN D. WALSH,
Feb. 25-2m] Cassville, Huntingdon Co., Pa.

PINE GROVE ACADEMY AND SEMINARY.
Pine Grove Mills, Centre County, Pa.
J. E. THOMAS, A. B., Principal.
The Thirteenth Session of this Institution will commence April 28, 1858, and continue five months.
TERMS—Boarding and tuition in English Branches $55.
Reference—Dr. G. D. Thomas, Altoona. [Mar. 25-3t*

ORANGES AND LEMONS.—500 boxes Oranges and Lemons in store and for sale by WM. N. SHUGARD,
March 25, '58-1y] 191 North 3d street, Philadelphia.

GROCERIES.—A LARGE AND complete assortment of Groceries have just been received at the store of J. B. HILEMAN.

Altoona Tribune.

LOCAL ITEMS.

ALTOONA BRASS BAND.—At the fourth annual meeting of the Altoona Brass Band, held in the armory of the Logan Rifle Rangers, on the 6th inst., the following proceedings were had.

The President, Wm. Boyden, stated the object of the meeting, viz: to elect a President, Secretary and Treasurer, for the ensuing year.

On motion, the following persons were unanimously elected to fill the above offices; And. Clabaugh, President; Wm. Pancake, Secretary and And. Kipple, Treasurer.

On motion, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, A portion of the citizens of Altoona contributed liberally to assist the members of the Altoona Brass Band in procuring their first set of instruments, we, as a Band, have therefore.

Resolved, That we offer a vote of thanks to those who have given us their support on former occasions.

Resolved, That a statement of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Band, from the time of its organization up to this date, be published.

Resolved, That the Band stands much in need of four new instruments, and that we proceed to adopt a plan by which to obtain them.

On motion, the following plan was adopted: The members of the Band to call upon the citizens of Altoona to become contributing members of the Band, on the following reasonable terms:—The members of the Band to give two concerts annually. All persons who will contribute $1,00 a year to the Band will receive a certificate of Honorary Membership, which will admit the bearer and lady to each of the concerts free of charge. All persons who will contribute $5,00 a year will be entitled to one serenade, in addition to a certificate of membership, on giving the Band due notice.

In accordance with resolution above, the Treasurer submitted the following report:

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The Altoona Brass Band was organized April 6, 1854. In order to procure the first set of instruments, it was necessary to call upon the citizens for contributions. From this source, after considerable time and labor, $150 was realized. This sum not being sufficient to purchase the instruments required, the following instruments were purchased with the funds of the Band contributed by the members:—

2 Drums,	$25,00
3 Cymbals,	33,00
1 Saxhorn made to order,	70,00
1 " "	20,50
60 Pieces of Music,	100,00
Tuition,	105,00
	$353,50

In addition to the above, the following instruments have been purchased by individual members of the Band:

2 Cornets,	$75,00	
1 Tenor Drum,	15,00	
		$90,00
Entire Expenditures,		$443,50

The following are the receipts of the Band, from all sources:—

From Pic-Nics and Excursions	$95,00
" Political meetings,	55,00
Receipts of one Concert,	26,60
Donations	10,00
Total Receipts,	$186,60
Total Expenditures, $443,50	
" Receipts 186,60	
Expenditures over Receipts, $256,90.	

The following bills remain unpaid up to this date:—

Playing for Democratic meetings during Presidential campaign of 1856,	$50,00
For Native American meetings, "	40,00
Total,	$90,00

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. KIPPLE, *Treasurer.*

The object of the Band in having the above resolutions and report published, is to show the citizens of Altoona the manner in which the money contributed was expended, and make them acquainted with the condition of the Band. The Band is now in need of four new instruments which will cost at least $150, to secure which the plan above has been adopted. It is certainly fair and reasonable, and it is hoped the citizens of this place will take an interest in the welfare of a clever set of musicians who are always ready and willing to play when called upon. Tickets can be had of members of the Band. WM. BOYDEN, *Pres't*

AND. CLABAUGH, *Sec'y.*

TO THE PUBLIC.—Within the past few days I have learned that there is a report in circulation in this place, charging me with asserting that I did not wish to board in the same house with "dirty mechanics," and I take this public way of contradicting it. That it was got up by some designing person, to injure me in my business relations with the mechanics of this place, is evident. I pledge myself to pay the sum of $25,00 to any person who will furnish me with the name of the person who first circulated the report.

Those who are acquainted with me, I feel sure, will not believe me guilty of making such a remark, knowing as I do, that I am dependent upon mechanics for my patronage. Those who have been instrumental in circulating the slander will do well to find out the author before they spread it further.

I am induced to make this public contradiction from the fact, that such stories generally travel faster than the refutation, and if permitted to go unnoticed, might be believed by those unacquainted with me.

W. S. BITTNER, D. D. S.

Altoona, April 15, 1858.

MAP OF BLAIR COUNTY.—In our advertising columns will be found the card of Messrs. Geil & Freed, who are about to undertake the work of getting up a complete Map and Record of this county from actual surveys to be made by themselves. Mr. Freed is now in Hollidaysburg and, we understand, intends commencing the work immediately. It will be a matter of interest to the people of the county to have such a Map published, and we hope they will lend their aid in giving information and subscribing for the work.

TYRONE AND LOCK HAVEN RAILROAD.—At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Tyrone and Lock Haven Railroad, held in Bellefonte, on Monday last, the President was "authorized to put under contract as much of the grading of the Eastern Division of the road as he can raise subscriptions to pay." The Eastern Division extends from Milesburg to Lock Haven, a distance of about twenty-three miles. An effort will shortly be made to raise subscriptions to defray the expenses of grading that Division, and we trust the people in the portion of country through which that end of the road passes, will show their interest in the enterprise by subscribing liberally. The grading of the Western Division is now about completed, and it is time something should be done on the Eastern end.

We clip the above from the Bellefonte *Whig*, and think it is about time, that the people of Lock Haven should become aroused, and take some action in regard to an enterprise that is likely to be of such vast benefit to our town.—Let the citizens of Clinton county come up to the work, and the Tyrone and Lock Haven Railroad will soon be completed.—*Lock Haven Watchman.*

☞ Some excitement was created in our town last week, by the appearance of a special train from Hollidaysburg, containing the Sheriff and the Hollidaysburg Fencibles. They were on their way to Bennington to quell an awful riot that was said to be raging there, and which is noticed by our Hollidaysburg correspondent. Fired with patriotism, we accompanied the Sheriff and his posse to Bennington, but on arriving there, found all quiet. We have no doubt that the visit of the Sheriff and the Fencibles proved beneficial, in scaring the "strikers" from any further demonstrations. The disturbance was created by some of the hands "striking" for higher and all cash wages, which being refused, they attempted to shoot the manager, Mr. Bailey. We understand that the proprietors purpose using up the present stock and then blowing out, to allow the "strikers" time to consider over their ill-advised conduct.

POLITICAL MOVEMENTS.—The American party held a meeting in the Town Hall in Hollidaysburg, on Thursday last the 8th inst., to devise ways and means to rouse "Sam" from the lethargic slap, in which he has so long been reposing. Strong straight-out resolutions were passed and straight-out feeling prevailed. A convention was called for Thursday May 20th., to nominate a county ticket. We shall notice the matter fuller next week.

The "gallant Major" of the *Whig* seems to be down on this movement of the "straight-out" Samites, and sounds the tocsin for immediate "straight-out" Republican action. He is also opposed to "Union for the sake of the Union," and earnestly urges the Republicans to nominate a distinct ticket and vote for it. We shall also notice this proceeding next week.

GOING TO LEAVE.—We understand that Thos. R. Davis, Esq., Chief Clerk, and Messrs Weistling, Dunkel, Richards, and Bertrand, assistant clerks, in the Superintendent's office, purpose removing to Philadelphia on Saturday or Monday next. This movement is the natural consequence of the action of the Board of Directors, at their last meeting. The gentlemen named all belong to Col. Lombaert's department, and as that gentleman is in Philadelphia, it is necessary that they should be there also. Mr. Hughes has already left. We are sorry to part with these gentlemen, but hope that the change may be to their benefit. *Vale.*

PREVENTION BETTER THAN A CURE.—Dr. Keyser, Wholesale Druggist, of 140 Wood Street, in inviting attention to his Pectoral Syrup, does not pretend that it will heal tubercles or ulcers in the lungs, or heal over a half wasted lung: but in the incipiency of the disease it will allay inflammation, cure the Cough, and effectually arrest the progress of the Disease. One or two spoonsful of this medicine has often cured a violent Cough of several weeks duration. What has been done can be done again. Cure your Cough with half a dollar by buying a bottle of Pectoral Syrup, for sale at G. W. Kessler's.

RAINS.—Last Sunday, Monday and Tuesday we were favored with a superabundant supply of rain—though rather of a colder character than comfort demanded. On Monday we really thought we would be favored with some snow, and have no doubt that the residents on the Alleghenies were so favored. The weather is still very cool for this season of the year.—"Old winter" the lecherous old villain seems determined to linger as long as possible in the lap of Spring. It is high time, we think, that the lascivious young hussy should drive him off.

For the Altoona Tribune.

To the Young Men of Altoona.

LETTER NO. 2.

Greeting—A free Press—Importance of Present Habits—Illustration—An Incentive—Individual Responsibility.

My Young Friends:—A friendly greeting to you after a week's interval. As the *Tribune* makes its weekly visit to you so will I for a time. Its regular appearance is no doubt welcomed by you all. Its racy and sparkling editorials are full of interest; its independence on all subjects deserves admiration and makes it what the Press ought, and when properly conducted, ever will be, a mighty instrumentality for good. A free Press, kept pure by the fearless discussion of principles, is the palladium of liberty. May the Altoona *Tribune* ever maintain her past fearlessness and faithfulness, her "Pen" score and "Scissors" cut whom and when they may.—Then her course will be honorable and we trust triumphantly successful.

In my last and first letter, young friends, I hinted at the important probable relation which your present habits and character bear to your future life and destiny. If the position taken be correct—and sound philosophy, all history, observation and experience proves it to be so—then you should look well to your present habits and the characters you are making for yourselves. There is likely not one of you who does not intend that he will lead a respectable and useful life. To see that intention realized, you can not commence laboring for it too soon—Should you now become entangled in the meshes of folly or vice, there is no telling whether you will ever be able to extricate yourself. The probabilities are all against you. Many before you, in the spirit of bravado, have mounted Passion's fiery steed, and with loose rein have dashed forward until when they would have checked him, he was beyond their control. The speedy result was, they were either pitched from the brink of ruin, or crushed against the rocks of destruction. Your only safety is never to trus yourselves upon his back.

A poor Indian, in a fit of intoxication, once attempted to sport in his canoe, close above the Falls of Niagara. In the wildness of his nature, rendered still more wild by intoxication, he would show his skill in the management of his canoe, and his prowess in overcoming the immense current which is created for some distance above the falls, and show his daring by venturing nearer the terific cataract, than any before him. But when he had reached a given point, the sweep of waters was so great and the power of gravitation so strong, that resistance was vain. The Red Man's strength was weakness—his oars useless. His little bark was borne upon the mighty current as if it had been a straw. He saw that he had ventured too far, but the knowledge came too late. He gave himself up to his fate, dashed his oars from him, drank to its bottom the bottle of spirits from which he had already drank too deeply, and then threw himself down in his skift to meet his rapidly approaching doom. Swiff as the winged arrow that canoe sped its way, until, with the foaming, roaring waters, it leaped from the brink and went tumbling into the abyss below.

How much the case of that poor Indian resembles that of many of the pride and hope of our country. They sported on the brink of ruin, until getting beyond their power to recover, they have plunged headlong down the steep and been crushed on the rocks below. Young men, if you would escape a similar fate, avoid their error. Never venture upon the whirlpool and then you can not be engulphed by it. Avoid it even at the risk of being called churlish or cowardly. Remember that "discretion is the better part of valor." And it is certainly discreet to avoid a conflict that is unnecessary, especially when the chances of success are all against you.

An incentive, young friends, to the present cultivation of good habits is in the *prospect of reward.* In this country, young men of correct morals are marked and sought out for posts of trust and emolument. There may be an occasional exception to this, apparently, but it is only in appearance, for the reaction against an unworthy incumbent, always sets things right in the end. The genius of our American institutions is *no favoritism*, but that of true merit.—There are no insuperable barriers to success.—Industry and merit must and will be rewarded. In this land, men do not inherit titles and reputations. They make their own fortunes and win for themselves a name. From the humble walks of life often come our highest ornaments in Church and State. Why, young men may not you share in such honors and dignity—such positions? You may if you will. I have now in my mind's eye an acquaintance, who was reared in a hovel and under the influence of an inebriate father's example, who now occupies a position in the church, second to none, and equaled by few. It is the result of his native talent and effort. And some of the brightest stars that now shine in the political sky of this great and growing Republic, have arisen from poverty and obscurity to their present high positions. Why may not you! Let the hope of it incite you to correctness in morals and energetic and laborious effort.

It is my desire, young friends, to impress you with a sense of your *individual responsibility.*—However, upon this point, I can not at present enlarge. Of it I shall speak at length in my next letter Be assured in the mean time of my continued regard.

Respectfully yours

T. N. K.

HOME CORRESPONDENCE.

[From Our Own Correspondents.]

HOLLIDAYSBURG, April 13, 1858.

Last Friday our town was thrown into considerable commotion by the startling intelligence that Mr. Daily, Manager of Bennington Furnace had been shot at three or four times by some of his employees who were on a "strike." The Fencibles were immediately summoned by the Sheriff to quell the disturbance. At about 3 o'clock in the afternoon the military started, and did not make their appearance here till the next day. Their services were but little required, except to frighten the strikers Some six or ten of the Fencibles were left, to preserve order and prevent another outbreak, and enable the owners of the Furnace to prosecute operations. The company state that everything was quiet when they left A couple of men have been secured and lodged in jail, on charge of being implicated in the notorious affair, and who will doubtless be tried for their offence at the next court.

An American Meeting was held in the Town Hall last week, and was very well attended.—Great harmony prevailed and considerable interest manifested. The Americans seem to be encouraged and inspired with a determination to strive hard for victory over the Bogus Democracy. Such a determination is greatly to be desired if they would meet with success.

Death has made its appearance in this place in an unusual manner. Three persons have been cut down; two without a moments warning, and the other, after an illness of about 54 hours,

Mr. John McCabe, assistant Manager and Book keeper of the Portage Iron Works, was in town last Friday afternoon in his usual health. He has been afflicted with an affection of heart. In company with his little son and mother, he started home on the evening in question, but was a corpse before he reached it. It is conjectured that the apprehension that his horse (the Freight train from Altoona just passing along near the Junction) would frighten at the cars and run off, impeded the action of his heart and produced such an effect as to cause almost instantaneous death.

Our aged and respectable citizen, A. W. Kenney, Esq., suddenly received a paralytic stroke on last Friday night. He kept rapidly sinking until about 11 or 12 o'clock Sunday night, when he breathed his last.

A man of known intemperate habits named Isaac Daugherty, and a citizen of Gaysport Borough, was found dead yesterday. An inquest was held and the verdict rendered, died from the intemperate use of intoxicating liquors.

The Union prayer meeting, inaugurated last Thursday, is doing a great good. Christians of the different denominations meet together, and sing praises and call upon the name of God in prayer. The supplications are earnest and to human understanding appear to come from the heart. The number in attendance is great. The Town Hall where it is held is generally well filled. God grant showers of the richest blessings upon the thirsty portion of his heritage, and own and bless this means used by his people for His own name's glory. VERITAS.

GREENWOOD FURNACE, April 12, 1858.

I am now on a flying visit to this "neck o'woods," and enjoying the generous hospitality of my old friend, Col. O. A. Daugherty. The Col. is a whole-souled fellow, and he never fails to amuse and entertain his guests by his sparkling wit. He is well versed in the science of instrumental music, and never hesitates to display his skill, by playing on his favorite instrument—the violin.

The landscape in this region is greatly diversified by hills and mountains. The axe of the woodman has not as yet entirely swept away the dark forests, with their noble, towering trees, nor tamed the features of the landscape, But still civilization, with its incessant hum has broken in upon the profound solitude, that reigned for ages in this mountainous region.

Greenwood Furnace is still in "blast," and I believe is doing a very good business. However, it appears that the managers are not satisfied with the moderate profits of the same, but are intent on reducing the wages of the men in their employ. If they carry out their intention it will be a gross imposition on the hands.

You will please excuse the brevity of this communication, as my stay here has been so short, and in future I will try to make amends.

MAC.

OUR BLACK LIST.

I PAID THE PRINTER! Ha! Ha!



I AM SORRY I DIDN'T!

CAREFULLY COMPILED BY THE EDITORS!

COMMENTS BY "SLEM:"

Published for the protection of our brethren of the Press and the Public generally.

SWAYED NEITHER BY FEAR, FAVOR NOR AFFECTION, WE SHALL SPEAK OF MEN AS WE FIND THEM.

The following named individuals have "victimized" us to the tune of the amounts set opposite to their names.—Our brethren of the Press and the Public generally will do well to be on their guard while dealing with them. He who would cheat at the printer would scruple at nothing.

T. & L. LAMBERT & Co., Philadelphia. $2 50.

These contemptible scoundrels, as Advertising Agents for a Cider Press, patronized us to the above tune. If we ever come across them we'll press their universal carcasses into their original nothingness.

DAVID AXE, $2 50.

Mr. Axe is another of our *honest* patrons. He victimized us out of the above sum, and skined without axeing us for a settlement. That *Axe* was rather *sharp* for us.

RICHARD ALLEN $2 50.

This *gent* graduated in rascality at our expense.

J. J. BOTOFF. $2 50.

This gent should not be called "Bought-off" but "Stopped off." If he is not good on a *buy* he is on a *sell*. We have one consolation, however, and that is that he won't be able to cheat the Devil.

M. BUTLER, Bellefonte, Pa. $3 00.

We don't know whether this chap is related to the other Butler or not. If he ain't he ought to be, and if he is he's a *credit* to the family.

J. A. BRADLEY, Uniontown, Pa. $4 00.

This "sneak" stealthingly sneaked off, leaving us to console ourselves as we best could. He is such a veritable "sneak" that he would sell his soul (or if very small one) for a "nip" (a big price) and after pocketing the money sneak out of the bargain.

THOS. ROY. $2 50.

This promising young man promised to pay us but didn't. He has lately been married in Reading. Poor fellow! his punishment soon overtook him.

A. S. MCCLINTOCK, Patterson, Pa. $3 00.

This is another of our *honest* patrons. Such a small-souled wretch is not worth a longer notice.

P. FLANIGAN, Pittsburgh, Pa., $3 00.

This representative of the great "Flanigan family" walked into our affections "a feet." "Fire away Flanigan," but please don't "hit" us in future.

MOSES DOUTY, ESQUIRE. $6 75.

Cheating us out of the above stung sum, affords a fair specimen of the manner in which Moses dispenses justice, and how well *qualified* he was to discharge the duties of his office. After *impairing the eye-sight* of quite a number of our citizens, he "sloped" for Baltimore, leaving a host of friends to mourn their *loss*. We commend him to the "Ping Ugles," "Rip Raps," &c., as a fit recruit for their ranks.

E. A. C. DOUTY. $4 00.

This lazy puppy is a "chip of the old block," who exemplifies the truth of the old adages "like daddy like child," and "what is bred in the bone won't come out of the flesh." He also has "sloped" to the more congenial atmosphere of Baltimore. "Good riddance to bad rubbish."

DR. W. R. HOYT, Syracuse, N. Y., $7 50.

This impudent *quack* bled us to the above tune for advertising. He is an arrant knave, who, making his living by means of the Press, is mean enough to cheat printers. We hope, when sick, he may be quacked to death by some brother quack.

REV. W. S. H. KEYS, Tyrone, Pa., $2 00.

This political parson who sports the "cambric" extensively, owes us the above sum for printing Notices to K. N Councils, stating his terms for lecturing before them. We should think that his "Intense Americanism" should lead him to pay his honest debts. We hand him over to the tender mercy of his conscience—if he has any—if not, to that of his friend and prototype ——.

L. PALMER & Co., Travelling Opticians, $1 50.

The above firm was composed of a couple of precious rascals, as "dutch as sour crout," who passed themselves off as opticians. Whether they were or not we don't know, but we do know, that instead of improving the sight of our "peepers," they effectually "closed them up."

CUMMINGS & Co., Travelling Ambrotypists, $1 25.

This is another pair of contemptible knaves. Their skill was strikingly exemplified in our sad experience, they having left an indelible *impression* on our memory, that we were the victims of misplaced confidence.

RICHARD WHITE, $4 00.

This falsely named *gent* has left town without settling up with us, thus leaving a *black* record against him on our books, and getting his name on our *black* list. It is not the only *black* act he has been guilty of.

A. CLARKE, $1 50.

We suppose this gent had not time to settle this small bill before leaving, as he left town about a hundred yards ahead of the constable, making 2,40 time.

G. W. TRYON, $2 50.

This gent *tried us on* to the above tune, and then put us off by alsquatulating without paying.

THOS. LEE, JR., left town owing us		$2 50.
LANTZ & WAGNER	do.	4 25.
DANIELS W. GARDNER,	do.	2 50.
L. KARG,	do.	3 00.
A. J. ANDERSON,	do.	1 00.

☞ The above is only the first chapter of our "Life Pictures." We have ample material for a dozen more, which will appear in due time.

☞ The stated Councils of the "Wyandotte Tribe," No. 35, I. O. R. M., are held every Tuesday evening in the I. O. O. F. Hall, in the Masonic Temple. Council Fire kindled at 7½ o'clock brush
June 25, '57-1y] A. EDERLE, *C. of R.*

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—We would call your attention to the advertisement of Prof. O. J. Wood's Hair Restorative, which appears in the columns of our present number.

From our long acquaintance with the proprietor, and with numerous individuals who have used his preparation with perfect success for the last two years, we feel no hesitation in recommending the article as superior to any of the preparations now in use for the same purpose. viz: for restoring gray hair. to its original color, a sure and perfect cure for baldness, and a never-failing preventative for the failing of the hair.

It is decidedly the best and most popular in use for beautifying, preserving, restoring and strengthening the hair, relieving diseases of the skin, and removing scurff, dandruff, and all eruptions and feverish heat from the scalp.

We speak in relation to the above from what we know, having been personally acquainted with numerous persons who have used the restorative for the above purposes with the most gratifying results.

It is not often we notice a patent medicine. Indeed, we think we have never puffed one before; but Prof. Wood's Hair Restorative is something so superior to most of the preparations of the day, that we cannot forbear asking the attention of our readers to it.—(*Catholic Vindicator.*

THE PANIC—MORE FAILURES.—The panic in New York seems to be on the increase. In this city everything goes on smoothly, and the only failures we have heard of were the failures to furnish good fits made by some inferior clothing establishments. There is no such difficulty to be encountered by those who patronize the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill and Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chesnut street, above sixth. Gentleman and youths never fail to procure capital fits at this popular establishment.

THE BEST COUGH MEDICINE.—One of the very best Cough Medicines to be found anywhere, is Dr. *Keyser's* Pectoral Syrup. sold by G. W. Kessler, at 50 cents per bottle.

☞ Time of the Closing and

Arrival of Mails at Altoona Post Office.

MAILS CLOSE.

Eastern Way at	1 00 P. M.
Western " "	8 00 A. M.
Eastern Through Mail	8 00 "

MAILS ARRIVE.

Eastern Through Mail,	6 35 A. M.
Western Way and Hollidaysburg,	1 40 P. M.
Eastern "	7 15 "

Hollidaysburg mails close at 1.00 P. M. and 6,45 P. M., and arrive at 1.15 P. M. and 7.30 P. M.

June 4, '57-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, P. M.

☞ Time of Arrival and Departure

of trains running on the Penn'a. Railroad, at Altoona station.

Express Train East arrives	2.48 A. M.,		leaves	2.55 A. M.
" " West "	5.35 "		"	8.55 "
Fast " East "	1.30 P. M.		"	1.30 P. M.
" " West "	9.50 "		"	10.00 "

ALTOONA WAY TRAIN leaves Altoona for Philadelphia at 6.15 A. M., and returning arrives at Altoona at 7.00 P. M.

The HOLLIDAYSBURG BRANCH connects with Express train West. Altoona Way Train East and West and with Fast Mail Train East

The BLAIRSVILLE BRANCH connects with Johnstown Way Train East and West, Express Train West and Fast Mail Train East

Dec. 21, '56-tf THOS. A. SCOTT, *Sup't.*

☞ A CARD—TO THE LADIES.

—RS. DUPONCO'S GOLDEN FRENCH PILLS *are infallible in removing stoppages and irregularities of the menses.* These Pills are nothing new but have been used by the doctors for many years, both in France and America, with unparalleled success in every case; and he is urged by many thousand ladies who have used them, to make the Pills public, for the alleviation of those suffering from any irregularities of whatever nature, as well as to prevent pregnancy to to those ladies whose health will not permit an increase of family.—Pregnant females, or those supposing themselves so, are cautioned against using these Pills while pregnant, as the Proprietor assumes no responsibility after the above admonition altho' their mildness would prevent any mischief to health; otherwise these Pills are recommended. Full and explicit directions accompany each box. Price $1 per box. Sold wholesale and retail by G. W. KESSLER, General Agent for Altoona and vicinity. He will supply dealers at proprietor's prices, and send the Pills to ladies (*confidentially*) by return mail on receipt of $1 through the Altoona Post Office.

Each box has my signature, J. DUPONCO, New York.

Samuel Breslin, general agent for Tyrone City. [1y-27

ALTOONA MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY LOWTHER & M'DOWELL.

Flour—Superfine,	₱ bbl.	$5,25
" Extra,	₱ "	6,50
Corn Meal,	₱ cwt.	2,00
Buckwheat	₱ "	2,40
Potatoes,	₱ bush.	75
Apples,	₱ "	87
Butter,	₱ lb	22
Lard,	₱ "	14
Pork,	₱ "	06
Side,	₱ "	05
Eggs,	₱ doz.	16

M'LAIN & LEHR'S FLOUR MARKET.

M'Lain & Lehr sell their Flour at the following rates:—

White Wheat Flour, Extra Family,	₱ bbl.	$5,25
" " " Superfine,	"	5,00
" " " Superfine,	"	4,75

H. LEHR'S FLOUR MARKET.

Extra Family Flour,	₱ bbl.	$
Superfine Extra, best quality,	"	5 25
" Brush Creek,	"	5 00
Superfine,	"	4 75

MAP OF BLAIR COUNTY.—THE subscribers propose to publish a New Map of Blair County, Pennsylvania, from actual surveys, containing all Public Roads, Rail Roads, Canals, the actual localities of Villages, Post Offices, Houses of Worship, School Houses, Manufactories, Tanneries, Mills, Hotels, Stores, Farm Houses, names of Property Owners, &c.

Enlarged Plans of the Principal Villages, a Table of Distances, and a Business Directory, giving the name and business of each subscriber, will be engraved on the margin. The plotting will be to a suitable scale so as to make a large and ornamental Map, which will be colored and mounted in the best style, and delivered to subscribers at $5 per copy. SAMUEL GEIL,

April 15, 1858. ISAAC G. FREED.

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

A NEW STOCK OF READY-MADE CLOTHING

SUITABLE FOR THE SEASON, JUST RECEIVED BY ETTINGER & ULLMAN,

AND NOW BEING DISPOSED OF AT PRICES WHICH DEFY COMPETITION.

MR. ULLMAN announces that he is is always on hand and will take great pleasure in waiting upon all who may favor him with a call. He feels confident that he will be able to render satisfaction both in quality and price. [April 15-3m

NEW VOLUMES OF THE FOUR GREAT BRITISH REVIEWS, namely,

Edinburg, North British, Westminster, and London Quarterlies, and Blackwood's Edinburg Magazine, (Monthly.)

Commence with January, 1858.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.—Any one Review or Blackwood, $3 a year. Blackwood and one Review—or two Reviews, $5. The four Reviews and Blackwood, $10. Four copies to one address, $20.

Postage (which should be paid quarterly in advance) on the four Reviews and Blackwood to any Post Office in the United States, only 80 cents a year, namely: 14 cents a year on each Review, and 24 cents a year on Blackwood.

Address, L. SCOTT & CO., Publishers,

April 8, 1858. 54 Gold Street, corner of Fulton, N. Y.

SHERIFFALITY.—I offer myself as a candidate for the office of SHERIFF of Blair county, at the ensuing election in October next. If elected, I pledge myself to discharge the duties appertaining to said office to the best of my ability.

Feb. 4, 1858-tc] JOHN B. WARFEL.

WOOD! WOOD!! WOOD!!!—90 Cords of good dry OAK WOOD for sale by LEWIS GWIN, 2 miles North of Altoona.

March 18, 1858-tf.

LUMBER FOR SALE.—

60,000 Shingles 50,000 Lathes,

and all kinds of BUILDING MATERIAL, lower than the lowest, for Cash. Apply to JOHN SHOEMAKER.

OYES! O YES!—GENTLEMEN draw nigh and hear. JOSEPH P. TEGIT announce to the public, that he is ready to discharge his duty as an Auctioneer whenever called upon. [Jan. 2, '56.

FLOUR.—THE BEST QUALITY OF FAMILY FLOUR for sale, Wholesale and Retail.—Apply to J. SHOEMAKER,

Dec. 11, 1856-tf. Masonic Temple.

MONEY SAVED! MONEY EARNED, and in these "hard times," it is desirable to know where to go in order to save money in purchasing DRY GOODS, GROCERIES OR PROVISIONS.

By way of information,

LOWTHER & McDOWELL,

OF THE

Cheap Corner,

would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona, that they have just received their

FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

which they will sell at prices to suit customers in this Financial Panic and that defy competition.

Our stock consists, in part, of Silks, French and Printed Merinos, Plain and Printed Cashmeres, Ombre Striped Eganes, Delains, Ducals, Coburgs, Gala and Woolen Plaids, Stella and Brocha Shawls, Chenille Shawls and Scarfs, Gloves, Mantillas, Velvets, Velvet Ribbons, &c.

Zephyr Goods, consisting of Mantillas and Hoods for ladies, misses and children, Victorines, &c. Our stock of

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS,

such as Linens, Sheetings, Pillow Linens, Table Linens, Napkins, Drilling Crashes, Tickings Flannels of all colors, Carpets, Matting, Stair Cloth, Oil Cloths, &c., is unusually large. Our stock of

BOOTS, SHOES, GAITERS, SLIPPERS, &C.

for Men, Women, Boys, Misses and Children, is not surpassed in variety or cheapness in the town. Our

STOCK OF GROCERIES

are the best that could be procued in the Eastern market. We have also Flour, Potatoes, Meat and many other articles not herein enumerated.

Be sure and drop in and examine our stock, and we will make it an object to purchase. [Oct. 29-tf.

ALTOONA SELECT SCHOOL.—The Second Term of this Institution will commence on the 6th of April next, under the superintendence of J. B. EWING, in the West Ward Public School House. The school will consist of pupils of both sexes. At the commencement of each session the scholars will be examined and classed in that department for which they are best fitted. The course of instruction will embrace Mathematics, ordinary and higher English branches and Latin. The Session will continue Four Months.

TERMS.

Primary Department—Alphabet, Orthography, Reading, Elements of Arithmetic and Geography,	$3 00.
Junior Department—Reading, Writing, Primary Grammar, Geography and Arithmetic,	4 50.
Senior Department—Grammar, Geography, History, Arithmetic, Algebra, Geometry, Natural and Moral Philosophy, Elocution and Latin,	6 00.

Scholars in the *Senior Department* will be permitted to study any of the branches taught in the other departments.

No deduction made except in cases of protracted sickness.

A complete set of Maps, Charts and Globes, together with a number of pieces of Philosophical Apparatus are connected with the Institution, according every advantage to students that can be obtained at distant Academies and Seminaries.

A competent corps of teachers will be employed.

It will be the aim of the Principal to make the Institution worthy the confidence of the public. March 4, tf

ANOTHER REDUCTION IN PRICE at McCormick's Store.

Having adopted the CASH SYSTEM, (or at least credit will not be given to any other than those who are *willing and can* give satisfactory reference and assurance of prompt monthly payment,) and desiring to make it the interest of all to patronize our store, we have made a very great reduction in the prices of all descriptions of goods, and will give our entire time and attention to keeping up an assortment to suit the wants of our customers, such as

DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
HARDWARE,
QUEENSWARE,
CEDARWARE,
STONEWARE,
BOOTS & SHOES,

Gaiters, Slippers, Hats and Caps, Dried Fruit, etc., all of which will be sold as cheap as the cheapest.

All articles of produce taken in exchange for goods at their highest market price.

Thankful for past favors, we hope to share the patronage of those who are in want of goods. [March 25-tf.

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers for sale a tract of EIGHTY ACRES of land, situate in Furguson township, Clearfield county, on the South side of the West Branch of the Susquehanna River, about five miles from Curwensville and one mile below Lumbar City. The premises are conveniently situated, and among other inducements to purchasers are two extensive beds of

IRON ORE,

one of which exceeds nine feet in thickness and yields from forty-five to eighty per cent. There is also an abundance of

LIMESTONE AND STONE COAL

on the premises, making it a desirable situation to persons wishing to engage in the manufacture of Iron.

There is the best of water power on the premises, and the river is navigable with arks, boats, &c., from this point.

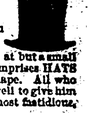
Persons desiring any further information will address

WM. G. McCRACKEN,

March 25-3m,] New Millport, Clearfield Co., Pa.

THE SUMMER SEASON—JESSE SMITH would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and the public generally, that he has just returned from the East with a large and varied assortment of

HATS AND CAPS,



Which he purchased at low prices for cash and will sell at

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, at but a small advance on the original cost. His stock comprises HATS and CAPS of every description, size and shape. All who are in want of anything in his line will do well to give him a call, as he feels confident he can suit the most fastidious, in quality and price.

He is always ready and willing to exhibit his stock *free of charge*, so that none need fear to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

Remember that his store is on Virginia street, directly opposite the Lutheran Church. [April 8-6m.

HOUSE, SIGN, ORNAMENTAL & CARRIAGE PAINTING.—The undersigned beg leave to inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that they have commenced the business of

HOUSE, SIGN, ORNAMENTAL AND CARRIAGE PAINTING, GLAZING, PAPER-HANGING, VARNISHING, &C., &C.,

in all their various branches, and are prepared to do all work entrusted to them with neatness and despatch.

They have on hand a large assortment of painting materials and Window Glass of all sizes, also Stained Glass and Looking-Glass Plates, which enables them to do work in an improved style and at reduced rates.

By strict attention to business we hope to merit a share of public patronage.

Our room is on Virginia street, immediately opposite Kessler's Drug Store. KRYES & WALSH.

April 8, 1858-3m*

REMOVAL!

I HAVE REMOVED MY WAREROOM to the corner of SMITHFIELD and THIRD Streets, opposite Young's Furniture Warerooom.

Pittsburgh, April 1, 1858-3m. WM. NOBLE.

FURNISHING WAREROOM.

I HAVE OPENED A STORE FOR the sale of EVERY ARTICLE wanted in FURNISHING A DWELLING HOUSE, Mattresses, Beds, Bolsters and Pillows; Comforts, Spreads, and Quilts of every style and price. Satin, De Laine and Lace Curtains; Damask and Moreens, Brocatels and Plushes; Muslin Curtains, Figured Muslin and with Lace Edge; Tassels and Cords of every description. Gilt Cornices of every variety and style, and some splendid patterns for windows; Gimp and Brass Bands; Blinds of all kinds: Window Shades of every price and style. Also, Venetian Blinds. Friends and strangers are invited to call and see us in the new store.

Pittsburgh, April 1, 1858-3m. WM. NOBLE.

W. CUNNINGHAM. D. CUNNINGHAM, R. CUNNINGHAM.
D. IRMSEN, G. DUNCAN.

CUNNINGHAMS & CO.,

PITTSBURGH CITY GLASS WORKS,

WAREHOUSE 102 WATER ST. AND 140 FIRST ST.,

Between Wood and Smithfield, PITTSBURGH, PA.

MANUFACTURERS OF

Pittsburgh City Window Glass,

DRUGGISTS' GLASS-WARE,

AND AMERICAN CONVEX GLASS,

For Parlor Windows, Churches and Public Buildings.

Altoona, April 1, 1858-1y.]

ENTERPRISE WORKS,

NO. 136 WOOD STREET, PITTSBURGH, PA.

BOWN & TETLEY,

Manufacturers of Rifles, Guns, Surgical and Dental Instruments, &c.

RIFLE GUNS.

We would call attention to our stock in the above line, knowing that we cannot be beat either in the quality or price. Being largely engaged in this branch of business, we defy all competion. All our rifles are warranted before sale. Hardware, Sporting Materials, Cutlery, Pistols, Guns, Revolvers, Flasks, Belts, Powder, Shot, Balls, Caps, Fancy Hardware and Sporting Equipage, in all its variety, which we offer low for Cash.

Pittsburgh, April 1, 1858-1y.

PEA NUTS.—5,000 BUSHELS WILmington Pea Nuts in store and for sale by

WM. N. SHUGARD,

March 25, '58-1y] 101 North 3d street, Philadelphia.

ALMONDS, WALNUTS, CREAM Nuts and Filberts in store and for sale by

WM. N. SHUGARD,

March 25, '58-1y] 101 North 3d street, Philadelphia.

A SUPERIOR LOT OF FRESH GARDEN SEEDS for sale by [tf] J. L. ROSE.

SWAN & CO.'S LOTTERIES, AUTHORIZED BY THE STATE OF GEORGIA.

$70,000 FOR $10!

The following Scheme will be drawn by S. Swan & Co., Managers of the Sparta Academy Lottery, in each of their Single Number Lotteries for April, 1858, at AUGUSTA, Georgia, to which city they have removed their principal office.

CLASS 9,
To be drawn in the city of Augusta, Georgia, in public, on Saturday, April 3, 1858.
CLASS 10,
To be drawn in the City of Augusta, Georgia, in public, on Saturday, April 10, 1858.
CLASS 11,
To be drawn in the City of Augusta, Georgia, in public, on Saturday, April 17, 1858.
CLASS 12,
To be drawn in the City of Augusta, Georgia, in public, on Saturday, April 24, 1858.

ON THE PLAN OF SINGLE NUMBERS.
FIVE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIVE PRIZES!
Nearly one Prize to every Nine Tickets!
MAGNIFICENT SCHEME!
TO BE DRAWN EACH SATURDAY IN APRIL.

1 Prize of	$70,000	4	Prize of	900
1 " "	30,000	4	" "	800
1 " "	10,000	4	" "	700
1 " "	5,000	4	" "	600
1 " "	4,000	50	Prizes of	500
1 " "	3,000	50	" "	300
1 " "	1,500	100	" "	125
4 " "	1,000	230	" "	100

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

4 Prizes of $400	Approx'ting to	$70,000	Prize are	$1,600
4 " " 300	" "	30,000	" "	1,200
4 " " 200	" "	10,000	" "	800
4 " " 125	" "	5,000	" "	500
4 " " 100	" "	4,000	" "	400
4 " " 75	" "	3,000	" "	300
4 " " 50	" "	1,500	" "	200
5,000 " " 20 are				100,000

5,485 Prizes amounting to $320,000
Whole Tickets $10; Halves $5; Quarters $2.50.

PLAN OF THE LOTTERY.

The numbers from 1 to 50,000, corresponding with those numbers on the Tickets printed on separate slips of paper, are encircled in small tin tubes and placed in one Wheel.

The first 457 Prizes, similarly printed and encircled, are placed in another wheel.

The wheels are then revolved, and a number is drawn from the wheel of Numbers, and at the same time a Prize is drawn from the other wheel. The number and prize drawn out are opened and exhibited to the audience, and registered by the Commissioners; the Prize being placed against the number drawn. This operation is repeated until all the Prizes are drawn out.

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.—The two preceding and the two succeeding numbers to those drawing the first 7 Prizes will be entitled to the 28 Approximation Prizes. For example: if Ticket No. 11,250 draws the $70,000 Prize, those tickets numbered 11,248, 11,249, 11,251, 11252, will each be entitled to $400. If Ticket No. 550 draws the $30,000 Prize, those tickets numbered 548, 549, 551, 552, will each be entitled to $300, and so on according to the above scheme.

The 5,000 Prizes of $20 will be determined by the last figure of the number that draws the $70,000 Prize. For example: if the number drawing the $70,000 Prize ends with No. 1, then all the tickets, where the number ends in 1, will be entitled to $20. If the number ends with No. 2, then all the tickets where the number ends in 2 will be entitled to $20, and so on to 0.

Certificates of Packages will be sold at the following rates which is the risk:

Certificate of package of 10 Whole Tickets,		$80
" "	10 Half "	40
" "	10 Quarter "	20
" "	10 Eight "	10

IN ORDERING TICKETS OR CERTIFICATES.

Enclose the money to our address for the tickets ordered, on receipt of which they will be forwarded by first mail.—Purchasers can have tickets ending in any number they may designate.

The list of Drawn Numbers and Prizes will be sent to purchasers immediately after the drawing.

Purchasers will please write their signatures plain, and give their Post Office, County and State.

Remember that every Prize is drawn and payable in full without deduction.

All prizes of $1,000 and under, paid immediately after the drawing—other prizes at the usual time of 30 days.

All communications strictly confidential.

Address orders for tickets or certificates to
S. SWAN & CO., *Augusta, Ga.*

Persons residing near Montgomery, Ala., or Atalanta, Ga. can have their orders filled, and save time, by addressing S. Swan & Co., at either of those cities.

A list of the numbers that are drawn from the wheel, with the amount of the prize that each one is entitled to, will be published after every drawing, in the following papers:—*New Orleans Delta, Mobile Register, Charleston Standard, Nashville Gazette, Atlanta Intelligencer, New York Weekly Day Book, Savannah Morning News, Richmond Dispatch, New York Dispatch, and Paulding (Miss.) Clarion Augusta (Geo.) Constitutionalist.* [Jan.7-1y.

THE CRISIS HAS ARRIVED, AND everywhere Banks, Brokers and Business men are suspending or breaking up, under the overwhelming pressure. Credit is destroyed and Enterprise is paralyzed. But amid all the hubbub and confusion incident upon such a state of affairs, we beg leave to inform our friends and the public generally, that we have just returned from Philadelphia with one of the largest, best selected and cheapest stock of

FALL & WINTER GOODS

Ever brought to town. Our stock consists, in part, of

LADIES DRESS GOODS,

Such as Silks, Shawls, Delaines, Alpacas, Cashmeres, Ribbons, &c. &c., in great variety.

GENTLEMEN'S WEAR,

Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, Shirtings, Cottonades, Silk and Merino Undershirts, Cravats, Handkerchiefs, &c.

DOMESTIC GOODS,

Bleached and Unbleached Muslins and Sheetings, Ladies Gaiters, Slippers and Shoes, Gents Gaiters, Boots and Shoes. Looking Glasses, Umbrellas, Tickings, and every variety of Dry Goods in common use.

We respectfully invite the public to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. We have bought our assortment at such prices that we *cannot* be undersold by any establishment in the county.
Oct. 15-tf] J. B. HILEMAN.

SAVING FUND, FIVE PER CENT INTEREST, NATIONAL SAFETY TRUST CO, *Walnut street, S. W. Corner of Third, Philadelphia.* Incorporated by the State of Pennsylvania.

Money is received in any sum, large or small, and interest paid from the day of deposit to the day of withdrawal.

The office is open every day from 9 o'clock in the morning till 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and on Monday and Thursday evenings till 8 o'clock.

Hon. HENRY L. BENNER, *Pres't.*
ROBERT SELFRIDGE, *Vice-Pres't.*
WM. J. REED, *Secretary.*

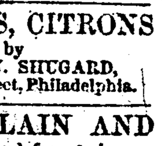
DIRECTORS.

Hon. Henry L. Benner,	F. Carrol Brewster,
Edward L. Carter,	Joseph B. Barry,
Robert Selfridge,	Francis Lee,
Sam'l K. Ashton,	Joseph Yerkes,
C. Landreth Munns,	Henry Dieffenderfer.

Money is received and payments made daily without notice.

The investments are made in REAL ESTATE MORTGAGES, GROUND RENTS, and such first class securities as the Charter requires [Mar2-5m.

MILLINERY AND MANTUAMAKING ESTABLISHMENT.—Misses M. & E. KAUFFMAN would respectfully inform the ladies of Altoona and vicinity, that they continue the above business at their old stand opposite Sellers' Drug Store, and have just received their supply of SPRING and SUMMER MILLINERY GOODS, which they will sell as low as any other establishment in the place. Dresses and all articles of ladies wear made to order on short notice and reasonable terms. [April 23, '57-1y.



RAISINS.—1,000 BOXES BUNCH and Layer Raisins in store and for sale by
WM. N. SHUGARD,
March 25, '58-1y] 191 North 3d street, Philadelphia.

FIGS, DATES, PRUNES, CITRONS and Currants in store and for sale by
WM. N. SHUGARD,
March 25, '58-1y] 191 North 3d street, Philadelphia.

CONFECTIONARY.—PLAIN AND fine Confectionary manufactured and for sale by
WM. N. SHUGARD,
March 25, '58-1y] 191 North 3d street, Philadelphia.

PINE AND LARD OILS, CAMphene, Burning Fluid, Carbon Oil, &c., at
Jan. 3, '56-tf] KESSLER'S.

HAIR OILS, COLOGNES, POMades, Shaving Cream, Toilet Soaps, &c. for sale by
[1-tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

HENRY LEHR'S STORE IS IN John Lehr's old stand, nearly opposite McCormick's store, in North Ward. [June 18, '57-1y.

NONE BUT THE BEST CONFECtionaries, Nuts and Fruits kept at
June 18, '57-1y] HENRY LEHR'S.

YOU CAN ALWAYS OBTAIN ALL kinds of Flour and Feed by calling at
June 18, '57-1y] HENRY LEHR'S.

EVERYBODY IS INVITED TO call and test the merits of the articles kept by
June 18, '57-1y] HENRY LEHR.

LOTS FOR SALE.—12 BUILDING Lots, situate in different localities, in this Borough for sale on reasonable terms, by [27-tf.] J. SHOEMAKER.

SPECTACLES AND EYE PRESERvers for sale at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

PURE WHITE LEAD AND ZINC Paint, also Chrome, Green, Yellow, Paris Green, dry or ground in oil at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

HARDWARE OF ALL DESCRIPtions just received and for sale by
Oct. 15-tf.] J. B. HILEMAN.

MARYLAND STATE LOTTERIES FOR MARCH, 1858.
R. FRANCE & Co., *Managers.*

Purchasers of Tickets will bear in mind that the Maryland Lotteries are drawn by State authority and by a State officer, and all schemes are examined and approved by him.

Beware of all Lotteries with extraordinary large Prizes for a small cost of Tickets—all such are swindles.—The Managers of the Maryland Lotteries present as large and fair schemes as can be made for the price of Tickets; and persons purchasing in them, if they draw a Prize will certainly be paid. In the other, every dollar invested is so much thrown away.

MAGNIFICENT SCHEME FOR 17TH APRIL.
62,518 CAPITAL PRIZE.
GRAND CONSOLIDATED LOTTERY, CLASS F,
To be drawn in Baltimore City, March 18, 1858.
14 Drawn Ballots in each Package of 26 Tickets.
MAGNIFICENT SCHEME.

1 Grand Prize of	$62,518	10 Prize of	$1,800
1 Prize of	12,500	10 Prize of	1,600
1 Prize of	12,500	10 Prize of	1,250
1 Prize of	8,500	10 Prize of	1,000
1 Prize of	8,500	100 Prize of	600
1 Prize of	6,000	200 Prize of	400
1 Prize of	6,000	64 Prize of	150
1 Prize of	5,000	64 Prizes of	100
1 Prize of	5,000	64 Prizes of	80
5 Prizes of	4,000	64 Prizes of	60
5 Prizes of	3,000	5,588 Prizes of	40
5 Prizes of	2,000	28,224 Prizes of	20

34,412 Prizes, amounting to $1,179,178.
Tickets $20—Halves $10—Quarters $5—Eighths $2,50.

A Package of 26 Whole Tickets, costs	$520
Must draw	288
Risk,	$232

Persons desirous of paying the risk only, can do so and get a Managers' Certificate of Package of 26 Wholes for $280

Do.	do.	26 Halves,	140
Do.	do.	26 Quarters,	70
Do.	do.	26 Eighths,	35

HAVANA PLAN.

ALL THE NUMBERS PUT IN ONE WHEEL, AND EVERY PRIZES PUT IN ANOTHER.

In this plan, which is the old-fashioned mode a drawing, every Prize is drawn out.

GRAND CONSOLIDATED EXTRA CLASS 4,
To be drawn in Baltimore, Md., Saturday, April 27th, 1858.
20,660 Prizes! 40,000 Tickets!!
MORE PRIZES THAN BLANKS.
Every Prize paid in full without deduction!

1 Prize of	$35,000	4	Appr's to	$300
1 Prize of	12,000	4	"	250
1 Prize of	4,000	8	"	200
1 Prize of	4,000			
1 Prize of	2,000	8	"	150
1 Prize of	2,000			
1 Prize of	1,500	8	"	100
1 Prize of	1,500			
1 Prize of	1,250	8	"	80
1 Prize of	1,250			
1 Prize of	1,000	8	"	60
1 Prize of	1,000			
10 Prizes of	400	40	"	50
10 Prizes of	300	40	"	40
100 Prizes of	200	400	"	20

20,000 Prizes of $8, determined by the Capital Prize, being odd or even.

Whole Tickets $10—Halves $5—Quarters $2,50.

A Package of 16 Whole Tickets, costs	$160
Must draw	64
Risk,	$96

A Managers' Certificate of 16 Wholes—where persons wish to pay the risk only, will be sent for $96

Do.	do.	16 Halves,	48
Do.	do.	16 Quarters,	24
Do.	do.	16 Eighths,	12

All orders for Tickets in the above splendid Schemes will be faithfully and promptly filled. Address,
T. H. HUBBARD & Co.,
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Persons in the West or South can have their orders filled in the Shelby College Lottery, of Kentucky. Schemes exactly the same as the above—and also drawn under the management of R, France & Co. Address
T. H. HUBBARD & CO.,
March 4-1y] Louisville, Ky.

E. P. MIDDLETON & BROTHER, *Importers and Dealers in Wines and Liquors,* return their thanks to their friends for the liberal share of patronage heretofore bestowed, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, at the OLD ESTABLISHMENT, NO. 5 N. FRONT ST., Philadelphia, where they have a large assortment of WINES and LIQUORS of the choicest brands and qualities. Having made arrangements with some of the first houses in Cognac and Rochelle, enables them to furnish to their customers upon the most reasonable terms, the following brands of Cognac and Rochelle Brandies:

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Otard, Hennesy, Marett, T Hines, Pellevorsin, A. Seignette, &c., &c. | *Pinnett, Castillion, Martell, J. J. Dupuy & Co.*

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Champagne, Old Oporto, Claret, Sherry, Lisbon, | *Burgundy, Madeira, Teneriffe, Hock, Muscat & Malaga Wines of various brands and qualities.*

Holland Gin, Scheidam Schnapps, Jamaica Spirits, Scotch and Irish Whiskeys; Peach, Apple, Lavender, Blackberry, Raspberry, Cherry and Ginger Brandies; Cordials, Wine Bitters, Amsterdam Bitters, &c.

Also, constantly on hand, an extensive stock of *OLD WHEAT, MONONGAHELA and BOURBON WHISKEYS* of various grades, some of which we guarantee to be superior to any in the country.

From our long experience in the business, and thorough knowledge of the tastes of the community, we flatter ourselves to be able to fill all orders that may be entrusted to us. Orders from the country (which are most respectfully solicited) will be promptly attended to. Great care taken in packing and shipping.

All goods sent from our establishment are guaranteed to give satisfaction, with the privilege of being returned.
Feb. 26-1y] E. P. MIDDLETON & BRO.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION.—The subscriber takes pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Altoona and its vicinity, that he has opened a STORE in the ROOM formerly occupied by G. W. Patton, on Virginia street, where he will be happy to exhibit to them his splendid stock of

FASHIONABLE FALL GOODS,

which will be found entirely new and fresh. His stock is carefully selected and was purchased strictly for CASH, which just at this important time has enabled him to buy exceedingly low, and having adopted the

READY-PAY SYSTEM,

is determined to ask but "Small Profits and Quick Sales." Among his stock will be found everything appertaining to Ladies and Gentlemen's wear, as well as all articles of

Groceries,
Queensware,
Hardware, &c., &c.,

usually kept in a town or country store. He respectfully invites a careful inspection of his stock.
Altoona, Oct. 1, 1857-tf. CHARLES J. MANN.

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N. B.—We are sole Wholesale and Retail Agent, in this county, for ROHN'S CELEBRATED SALVE. It does *positively* cure all sores to which it is applied. Try it. [7-tf.

TIPTON STEAM SASH, FRAME, DOOR, SHUTTER & FLOORING MANUFACTORY, *Tipton, Blair Co., Pa., 10 miles East of Altoona.*

The undersigned having provided a complete set of Machinery for the business, and being practical House Carpenters and Builders, are extensively engaged in Manufacturing by steam, any description of Carpenter Work, which we will furnish at low rates, and ship to any point on the Pa. Railroad. Plans of every description for buildings with specifications and bill of timber prepared. Orders from a distance respectfully solicited.
June 4, '57-1y] McCAULEY & CO.

Pennsylvania House,
Patterson, Juniata County, Pa.,
REYNOLDS & CODER, *Proprietors,*

BEG LEAVE TO INFORM THEIR FRIENDS and the travelling public generally, that they have taken the above well-known house, where they will be happy to wait upon all who may favor them with a call. Its convenience to the depot renders it a desirable stopping place for those who wish to get on or off the cars, also for travelers wishing to get meals at *moderate charges*—25 cents.
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LYCOMING COUNTY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, agent of the Lycoming Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture and Property* of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any company in the State. Office in the Masonic Temple.
Jan. 3, '56-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, *Agent.*

WEST BRANCH INSURANCE CO.—The undersigned, Agent for Blair county, will take short and long risks on Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture and Property of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any company in the State.—Risks also taken on the lives of horses. Office in Masonic Temple. JOHN SHOEMAKER, *Agent.*
March 18, 1858-1y.

LIQUORS.—A LARGE AMOUNT of well selected LIQUORS has been received at the "LOGAN HOUSE," Hollidaysburg, which will be sold at the lowest cash prices, wholesale or retail. The man who wants has only to call. [Dec. 17, tf.

CAST IRON RAILING AND ALL kinds of Castings executed to order, also Tin Spouting put up to order, at shortest notice, apply to
J. SHOEMAKER, *Agent for*
Jan. 3, 1858-tf. McLANAHAN, WATSON & Co.

RICH TOBACCO AND HIGHLY flavored Cigars, in abundance, can be had at
June 18, '57-1y] HENRY LEHR'S.

TO THE PUBLIC.—13,787 GIFTS FOR THE PEOPLE. EL DORADO GIFT ASSOCIATION for the sale of $13,787 worth of Sewing Silk. Each purchaser of one dollar's worth of Sewing Silk will receive a numbered check, which will entitle the holder to one share and a voice in the distribution of the following list of Valuable Property, to be distributed by a Committee, chosen by the shareholders, in such a manner as they may deem advisable and agree upon among themselves.

LIST OF PROPERTY.

7 corner Lots on Washington street Altoona, 50 by 120 feet, valued at $184 each,	$1,288
17 lots on Washington st., 50x120 ft., $156 each,	2,652
8 cor. lots on Mulberry st., " " 156 "	1,248
19 lots on Mulberry st., " " 132 "	2,508
2 lots on High street, " " 63 "	126
1 cor. lot on German street, 50x175 ft., valued at	63
3 lots on German street, " " $42 each	126
1 lot on Howard street, 50x133 feet, valued at	132
1 cor. lot on Lexington st., " " "	150
2 lots on Chestnut street, " " $131 each,	262
1 Gold Lever Watch, valued at	100
1 Horse, " "	157
1 Two-Horse Wagon, " "	42
1 Silver Lepine Watch " "	16
12 Coat Patterns and Trimmings, $10 each,	120
50 Pants and Vest patterns, at $4.40 each,	220
75 Articles or Parcels of Merchandise, $3.00 each,	225
100 " " " 2,00 "	200
100 " " " 1,00 "	100
500 " " " 75 "	375
2,000 " " " 50 "	1,000
3,000 " " " 30 "	900
4,000 " " " 25 "	1,000
3,885 " " " 20 "	777
13,787 Gifts, valued at	$13,787

The Real Estate in this Enterprise is handsomely situated in the flourishing town of Altoona, (Head-quarters of the Pa. Central R. R. Co.) which in a few years has grown as if by magic, its present population being over 3,000.

The above property will be delivered to the persons entitled to receive it, immediately after the distribution.

An indisputable title to all the lots in the above bill will be given by R. H. McCORMICK.

The articles or parcels per bill, will consist of cloths, cassimeres, de laines, &c., &c.

My object is to dispose of the silk in the shortest possible time, and I desire everybody to purchase soon and be members of this *Magnificent Association.*

The silk will be sent to any part of the United States, with Certificate of Membership, (for each dollar's worth purchased,) on receipt of the cash.

Agents or clubs remitting $10 at one time will receive in return $11 worth of silk and 11 certificates.

All orders must be addressed to JOSEPH MOIST.
June 10, 1856-tf.] *Altoona, Blair Co., Pa.*

All orders by mail, with postage stamp enclosed, promptly attended to.

GREAT DISCOVERY OF THE AGE IMPORTANT TO TOBACCO CHEWERS.

DR. GUSTAV LINNARD'S TASTE RESTORATIVE TROCHES, *the great Substitute for Tobacco.*

It is a well known and incontrovertable fact that the use of Tobacco is the promoting cause of many of the most severe

MENTAL AND PHYSICAL DISORDERS

to which the race of man is subject, as careful analysis and long and painful experience have clearly proven that it contains certain norcotic and poisonous properties most dangerous in their effects, which by entering into the blood derange the functions and operations of the Heart, causing many to suppose that organ to be seriously diseased.

TOBACCO affects also the entire nervous system, manifesting itself—as all who have ever used the noxious weed will bear testimony—in Lassitude, Nervous Irritability, Water Brash, Dyspepsia, and many other disorders of a similar character.

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Are designed to counteract these baneful influences, and have proved completely successful in a multitude of cases, and wherever used. Being harmless in themselves they exert a beneficial effect upon the entire system, restoring the Taste which has become vitiated or destroyed by great indulgence, completely removing the irritation and accompanying tickling sensation of the Throat—which are always consequent upon abstaining from the use of Tobacco, and by giving a healthy tone to the Stomach, invigorate the whole system.

Persons who are irretrievably undermining their constitutions and shortening their lives, should use these Troches immediately and throw off the injurious and unpleasant habit of Tobacco Chewing.

These Troches of Lozenges are put up in a convenient and portable form at the low price of 50 Cents per Box. A liberal discount to the Trade.

Prepared solely by the undersigned to whom all orders should be addressed.
JAMES E. BOWERS, Druggist,
March 18, 1y.] Cor. 2d and Race street, Phila.

MARYLAND STATE LOTTERIES.
R. FRANCE & Co., Managers.
CAUTION NOTICE.

Persons living at a distance should be extremely cautious of whom they order Lottery Tickets or Certificates of Packages of Tickets. The country is flooded with bogus and swindling Lotteries. Every inducement is held out to get persons to invest money in them. Capital Prizes of from $20,000 to $40,000 head their schemes—with tickets at One Dollar. $100,000 Capital Prizes are offered, tickets $5. All such, in every instance, are frauds; and if money is sent to them for tickets, it is so much thrown away, without the shadow of a chance of getting a prize. Beware of all Lotteries where the Capital Prize is unusually large in comparison to the price of tickets. In every instance where large prizes are offered for a small cost of tickets, put it down as a certain fraud.

The Kentucky State Lottery for the benefit of the Shelby College, under our management, is the only Lottery in the United States which is legally decided by the Maryland Drawings: all other Lotteries which purport to be decided by the Maryland Drawings, are frauds.

THE MARYLAND STATE LOTTERIES.

Purchase in the Maryland State Lotteries, then you are sure of being right. And in ordering in the Maryland Lotteries, you are sure of fair and honest drawings.

One thing look to, and that is, if you order from any licensed vender in Baltimore, do not receive any but Managers' Tickets and Managers' Printed Certificates of Packages. The Managers' Certificates have the numbers printed, and have the lithographed signature of R. France & Co.

No one has a right to send his individual certificates, and if he does it, be sure there is a fraud at the bottom of it.
R. FRANCE & CO.,
Feb. 18-3m.] Managers of Maryland State Lotteries.

GIFTS! GIFTS!! GIFTS!!!—A prize to every purchaser.
500 DOLLARS WORTH OF GIFTS!!
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The attention of the public is respectfully solicited to the extensive assortment of valuable Standard and Miscellaneous Books, which are offered for sale at the lowest Retail Prices. A GIFT WORTH FROM 25 CENTS TO $100, will be given with every Book. A complete Catalogue, giving full information, with a list of Prizes, will be forwarded on application.

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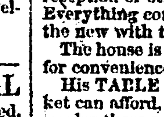
LIBERAL INDUCEMENTS OFFERED.—Persons wishing to order at once, can order any Book published in Philadelphia, New York or Boston, and it will be furnished at the publisher's price, with Gift. Any person ordering 10 Books will receive for commission an extra Book with Gift. For Postage send stamps, 18 cents, for $1.00 Books. Address
DUANE RULISON, Publisher,
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AMBROTYPES.—THE PLACE TO get Ambrotypes for yourself, your friends or relations, is in the fourth story of Patton's Building, where all persons can be accommodated on the shortest notice, with true and life-like likenesses. Ambrotypes taken on single and double glass. Melainotypes taken on Russian Melainotype plates. Also, Pictures taken in the new style transfer—Photographing—on Patent Leather, which are imperishable, and are intended principally for insertion in articles of jewelry, and transmitting by mail, as they do not require to be put in a case.

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Pictures taken as low as fifty cents.

The subscriber respectfully solicits a liberal patronage from the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, as he intends to make this his permanent station. Come one, come all, and "Secure the shadow ere the substance fades." Don't forget the room is in Patton's Building, fourth story. The first story is occupied by Mr. Mann's store.
Feb. 18-3t] J. W. CLABAUGH.

LOGAN HOTEL.—THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully informs the citizens of Blair county and others, that he has opened up the LOGAN HOUSE, formerly kept by Sheriff Rees, at the west end of Hollidaysburg, for the reception of strangers and travellers.—



Everything connected with the house has been refitted in the new with the choicest furniture, &c., &c.

The house is large and commodious, and well calculated for convenience and comfort.

His TABLE will be furnished with the very best the market can afford, and no pains or trouble will be spared to render those who may choose to favor him with their patronage comfortable and happy during their stay with him.

His STABLING is ample, and an obliging and careful hostler will always be in attendance.
Dec. 17, 1857,—tf.] JOHN KEIFFER.

OYSTERS! OYSTERS! OYSTERS! In consequence of the hard times, I have concluded to put down the price of my OYSTERS to the lowest possible standard. They will hereafter be served up on the Chafing Dish at TWENTY CENTS, and roasted in the shell and served up with all other accompaniments, TWENTY-FIVE CENTS. They will also be furnished, in every other way, at prices to correspond with the times.
JOHN KEIFFER,
Dec. 17, tf.] Logan House, Hollidaysburg.

HAIR, HAT, TOOTH, SHAVING, Paint, Sash and Varnish Brushes at
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HAMS, SIDE, SHOULDER, DRIED Beef, &c., always on hand at
June 18, '57-1y] HENRY LEHR'S.

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June 18, '57-1y HENRY LEHR'S.

GLASS 8x10 TO 20x24, AND CUT to order by G. W. KESSLER.



THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE CITIZENS OF ALTOONA & vicinity, that he has now on hand a beautiful assortment of the above articles, which he is prepared to furnish on the shortest notice and at moderate prices. Persons wanting Grave Stones will please forward their orders by mail or call in person at our Marble Works, on Montgomery street, near the Diamond, Hollidaysburg. None but the best workmen employed, and all work warranted to give general satisfaction.
[August 6, 1857.] A. W. KENNEY.

HOLLIDAYSBURG MARBLE WORKS.

Italian & White Rutland Marble. Tombs, Monuments, & Enclosures, Head and Foot Stones.

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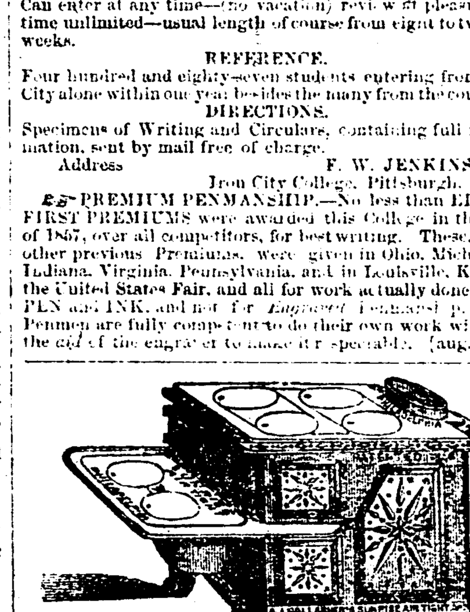
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Four hundred and eighty-seven students entering from the City alone within one year besides the many from the country

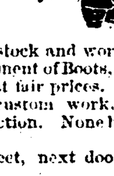
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PREMIUM PENMANSHIP.—No less than EIGHT FIRST PREMIUMS were awarded this College in the fall of 1857, over all competitors, for best writing. These, with other previous Premiums, were given in Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Virginia, Pennsylvania, and in Louisville, Ky., at the United States Fair, and all for work actually done with PEN AND INK, and not for *Engraved Penmanship*. Our Penmen are fully competent to do their own work without the aid of the engraver to make it specimens. [aug.27-1y



STOVES! STOVES! STOVES!—The undersigned has for sale, at his Store in Masonic Temple, a large assortment of
GALLAHER'S SUNRISE AIRTIGHT
Cooking Stove, a new and splendid Large Oven, Flat Top Stove, for Coal or Wood patented 1856.
JOHN SHOEMAKER, *Agt.*
N. B. All kinds of Air-tight, Parlor Cooking and Egg Stoves on hand. [Sept. 11, '56-tf.

THE GREAT QUESTION WHICH now agitates the mind of every person is, where can I get the best article for my money? In regard to other matters, the subscriber would not attempt to direct, but if you want anything in the line of



BOOTS OR SHOES

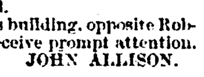
he invites an examination of his stock and work.

He keeps constantly on hand an assortment of Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, &c., which he offers at fair prices.

He will give special attention to custom work, all of which will be warranted to give satisfaction. None but the best workmen are employed

Remember my shop is on Main street, next door to B. Kerr's old stand, now W. O'Neil's.
September 3, '57-tf] JOHN H. ROBERTS.

COAL! COAL! COAL! COAL!—The subscriber would respectfully inform the consumers of COAL and WOOD in Altoona, that he is constantly receiving and will deliver at this time, Anthracite Coal at $5.00 per ton,

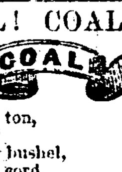


Irvin's	" 3,12½	"
Bituminous	" 8	per bushel,
Dry Hickory Wood,	3.50	" cord,
Oak	" 2.50	" "

All orders left at J. L. Ickes' store, or at Esquire Douty's Justice Office will be promptly filled.

Office at residence in Buttonburg's building, opposite Robert Green's, where all orders will receive prompt attention.
Aug. 14, '56-tf] JOHN ALLISON.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—THE UNdersigned has now on hand and will sell cheap at his store in the Masonic Temple, a large and complete assortment of BOOTS AND SHOES, ready made, or made to order, Overshoes, Ladies' Sandals, Gum Shoes, Cork Soles, and everything in his line of business, of the best quality and on the most reasonable terms. All custom work warranted.



Jan. 2, '56-tf.] J. SHOEMAKER.

BLAIR COUNTY INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, Agent of the Blair County Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture and Property*, of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any Company in the State. Office in the Masonic Temple.
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Jan. 3, 1857-tf.] Masonic Temple, Altoona.

QUEENSWARE, JUST RECEIVED. A large and fashionable assortment at the store of
J. B HILEMAN.

RIO COFFEE, SUGAR, TEA AND all kind of Groceries for sale by
June 18, 1857-1y] HENRY LEHR.

ALL THE STANDARD PATENT MEDICINES AT [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

IMPORTANT DISCOVERY.
CONSUMPTION
AND ALL
DISEASES OF THE LUNGS AND THROAT
ARE POSITIVELY
Curable by Inhalation,

which conveys the remedies to the cavities in the lungs through the air passages, and coming in direct contact with the disease, neutralizes the tubercular matter, allays the cough, causes a free and easy expectoration, heals the lungs, purifies the blood, imparts renewed vitality to the nervous system, giving that tone and energy so indispensable for the restoration of health. To be able to state confidently that Consumption is curable by inhalation, is to me a source of unalloyed pleasure. It is as much under the control of medical treatment as any other formidable disease; ninety out of every hundred cases can be cured in the first stages, and fifty per cent. in the second; but in the third stage it is impossible to save more than five per cent., for the Lungs are so cut up by the disease as to bid defiance to medical skill. Even, however, in the last stages, Inhalation affords extraordinary relief to the suffering attending this fearful scourge, which annually destroys ninety-five thousand persons in the United State alone; and a correct calculation shows that of the present population of the earth, eighty millions are destined to fill the Consumptive's grave.

Truly the quiver of death has no arrow so fatal as Consumption. In all ages it has been the great enemy of life, for it spares neither age nor sex, but sweeps off alike the brave, the beautiful, the graceful and the gifted. By the help of that Supreme Being from whom cometh every good and perfect gift, I am enabled to offer to the afflicted a permanent and speedy cure in Consumption. The first cause of tubercles is from impure blood, and the immediate effect produced by their deposition in the lungs is to prevent the free admission of air into the air cells, which causes a weakened vitality through the entire system. Then surely it is more rational to expect greater good from medicines entering the cavities of the lungs than from those administered through the stomach; the patient will always find the lungs free and the breathing easy, after Inhaling remedies. Thus, Inhalation is a local remedy, nevertheless it acts constitutionally, and with more power and certainty than remedies administered by the stomach. To prove the powerful and direct influence of this mode of administration, chloroform inhaled will entirely destroy sensibility in a few minutes, paralyzing the entire nervous system, so that a limb may be amputated without the slightest pain; inhaling the ordinary burning gass will destroy life in a few hours.

The inhalation of ammonia will rouse the system when fainting or apparently dead. The odor of many of the medicines is perceptible in the skin a few minutes after being inhaled, and may be immediately detected in the blood. A convincing proof of the constitutional effects of inhalation, is the effect that sickness is always produced by breathing foul air—is not this positive evidence that proper remedies, carefully prepared and judiciously administered through the lungs should produce the happiest results? During eighteen years' practice, many thousands suffering from diseases of the lungs and throat, have been under my care, and I have effected many remarkable cures, even after the sufferers had been pronounced in the last stages, which fully satisfies me that consumption is no longer a fatal disease. My treatment of consumption is original, and founded on long experience and a thorough investigation. My perfect acquaintance with the nature of tubercles, &c., enables me to distinguish, readily, the various forms of disease that simulate consumption, and apply the proper remedies, rarely being mistaken even in a single case. This familiarity, in connection with certain pathological and microscopic discoveries, enables me to relieve the lungs from the effects of contracted chests, to enlarge the chest, purify the blood, impart to it renewed vitality, giving energy and tone to the entire system.

Medicines with full directions sent to any part of the United States and Canadas by patients communicating their symptoms by letter. But the cure would be more certain if the patient should pay me a visit, which would give me an opportunity to examine the lungs and enable me to prescribe with much greater certainty, and then the cure could be effected without my seeing the patient again.
G. W. GRAHAM, M. D.,
Office, 1131 Filbert Street, (old No. 109,) below Twelfth, Philadelphia. July 23, '57-1y.

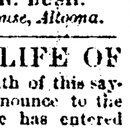
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Beg leave to inform their friends and the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that they have opened a
GROCERY & PROVISION STORE,
in the room formerly occupied by John Lehr, on Virginia street, next door to Patton's Hall, where they will be happy to serve all who may favor them with a call. Their stock is a large and select one, consisting of

Flour,	Feed,	Bacon,
Pork,	Sugar,	Coffee,
Tea,	Molasses,	Fish,
Salt,	Potatoes,	Fish Oil,
Fluid,	Camphene,	Alcohol,

Cigars and Tobacco.

As they purchase all their goods for the READY CASH, and sell for the same, persons desiring of purchasing anything in their line, will do well to give them a call, as they will sell at but a trifling advance on first cost. We ask no man to pay for anything but what he buys. Give us a trial and see if we won't make our words good. [Jan 7-tf

STOVES! STOVES! STOVES.—The undersigned has just received from Philadelphia, North, Chase & North's celebrated Cooking Stoves for 1857.



THE ROYAL COOK
for Wood or Coal. This beautiful Cooking Stove challenges all competition for the exquisite style of ornament and perfect operation in all respects. The oven extends under the fire-box and the flues are so arranged that the whole oven surface will bake perfectly and uniformly. The slightest examination of this Stove must satisfy every one that it will become a universal favorite.

THE SEA SHELL.
for wood or coal. The fire-box is of good capacity—the ash-box is deep—the oven is capacious and is a thorough baker. This stove is one that may readily be recommended for family use, in every particular.

All kinds of heating and parlor stoves constantly on hand. JOSEPH H. BUSH.
April 16, '57-tf] *Opposite the American House, Altoona.*

COMPETITION IS THE LIFE OF TRADE.—Fully convinced of the truth of this saying, the subscriber would respectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that he has entered the field, by opening a

MERCHANT TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT,

in the room heretofore occupied by Michael Gallagher, immediately opposite the Superintendent's Office, where he will carry on the business as usual. He has just received an excellent assortment of

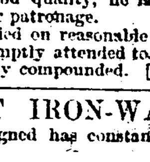
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suitable for working and dress suits, which he will make to order, on short notice and at prices which can not fail to satisfy. He has also received the LATEST STYLES of

FALL AND WINTER FASHIONS,

and feels confident that he can satisfy the most fastidious in this particular, and his clothing will be made as well as clothing can be made. In fine, he is determined that nothing shall be wanting on his part to render satisfaction to those who may favor him with their patronage.
Altoona, Nov. 5-tf.] JOHN TALBOT.

G. W. KESSLER—PRACTICAL DRUGGIST, respectfully announces to the citizens of Altoona and the public generally, that he still continues the Drug business, on Virginia street, where he keeps constantly on hand, for sale, Wholesale and Retail, DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, OILS, VARNISHES and DYE-STUFFS.



By strict attention to business, and a desire to render satisfaction to all as regards price and quality, he hopes to merit and receive a share of public patronage.

Physicians and merchants supplied on reasonable terms, and all orders from a distance promptly attended to.

Physicians prescriptions carefully compounded. [1-tf.

TIN AND SHEET IRON-WARE EMPORIUM.—The undersigned has constantly on hand a large assortment of
TIN AND SHEET IRONWARE
which he will sell cheap
WHOLESALE OR RETAIL.
Spouting put up at short notice in town or country, and painted, at 12½ cents per foot.
The best quality of Cooking Stoves, of various patterns, constantly on hand.
All kinds of Job Work done with neatness and dispatch. Call and see. JOS. H. BUSH,
June 10, '57-tf] *Opposite American House, Altoona.*

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BANKERS,
OFFICES AT
Hollidaysburg and Altoona.

DRAFTS ON THE PRINCIPAL CITIES, and Silver and Gold for sale. Collections made.—Moneys received on deposit, payable on demand, without interest, or upon time, with interest, at fair rates. [1-tf.

J. D. LEET,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, HOLLIDAYSBURG, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.,
Will practise in the several Courts of Blair, Huntingdon and Cambria counties, and attend promptly to all collection entrusted to him. Office (for the present) at his residence, corner Allegheny and Penn streets, Hollidaysburg, Pa. [2-38tf.

WM. S. BITTNER,
SURGEON DENTIST,
Office with Dr. Hirst, on Annie Street, one door West of the Masonic Temple. [Oct. 15-tf.

J. G. ADLUM,
Notary Public,
ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.,
Can at all times be found at the store of J. B. Hileman.
Altoona, October 1, 1857-1y

FLOUR.—THE SUBSCRIBER IS now prepared to furnish a superior article of Flour, made from *sound wheat*, at the Crystal Mill. Orders left with Mr. C. Jaggard will be promptly filled.
June 12, '56-tf] S. C. BAKER.

Of all diseases, the great first cause
Springs from neglect of Nature's laws.

SUFFER NOT; WHEN A CURE IS GUARANTEED IN ALL CASES OF
SECRET DISEASES,

Self-Abuse, Nervous Debility, Strictures, Gleets, Gravel, Diabetes, Diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, Mercurial Rheumatism, Scrofula, Pains in the Bones and Ancles, Diseases of the Lungs, Throat, Nose and Eyes, Ulcers upon the Body or Limbs Cancers Dropsy, Epileptic Fits, St. Vitus' Dance, and all diseases arising from a derangement of the Sexual Organs, such as Nervous Trembling, Loss of Memory, Loss of Power, General Weakness, Dimness of Vision with peculiar spots appearing before the Eyes, Loss of Sight, Wakefulness, Dyspepsia, Liver Disease, Eruptions on the face, Pains in the Back and Head, Female Irregularities, and

ALL IMPROPER DISCHARGES FROM BOTH SEXES

It matters not from what cause the disease originated, however long standing or obstinate the case, *recovery is certain*, and in a shorter time than a permanent cure can be effected by any other treatment, even after the disease has baffled the skill of eminent physicians and resisted all their means of cure. The medicines are pleasant without odor, causing no sickness and free from mercury or balsam. During twenty years of practice, I have rescued from the jaws of Death many thousands, who in the last stages of the above mentioned diseases, had been given up to die by their physicians, which warrants me in promising to the afflicted, who may place themselves under my care, a perfect and most speedy cure. Secret diseases are the greatest enemies to health, as they are the first cause of Consumption, Scrofula and many other diseases, and should be a terror to the human family. As a permanent cure is scarcely ever effected, a majority of the cases falling into the hands of incompetent persons, who not only fail to cure the disease, but ruin the constitution, filling the system with mercury, which, with the disease, hastens the sufferer into a rapid Consumption.

But should the disease and the treatment not cause death speedily, and the victim marries, the disease is entailed upon the children, who are born with feeble constitutions, and the current of life corrupted by a virus which betrays itself in Scrofula, Tetter, Ulcers, Eruptions and other affections of the skin, Eyes, Throat and Lungs, entailing upon them a brief existence of suffering, and consigning them to an early grave.

SELF-ABUSE is another formidable enemy to health, for nothing else in the dread catalogue of human diseases causes so destructive a drain upon the system, drawing its thousands of victims, through a few years of suffering down to an untimely grave. It destroys the Nervous system, rapidly wastes away the energies of life, causes mental derangement, prevents the proper development of the system, disqualifies for marriage, society, business, and all earthly happiness, and leaves the sufferer wrecked in body and mind, predisposed to consumption and a train of evils more to be dreaded than death itself. With the fullest confidence I assure the unfortunate victims of Self-Abuse that a permanent and speedy cure can be effected, and with the abandonment of ruinous practices my patients can be restored to robust, vigorous health.

The afflicted are cautioned against the use of Patent Medicines, for there are so many ingenious snares in the columns of the public prints to catch and rob the unwary sufferers that millions have their constitutions ruined by the vile compounds of quack doctors, or the equally poisonous nostrums vended as "Patent Medicines." I have carefully analyzed many of the so called Patent Medicines and find that nearly all of them contain Corrosive Sublimate, which is one of the strongest preparations of mercury and a deadly poison, which instead of curing the disease disables the system for life.

Three-fourths of the patent nostrums now in use are put up by unprincipled and ignorant persons, who do not understand even the alphabet of the *materia medica*, and are equally as destitute of any knowledge of the human system, having one object only in view, and that to make money regardless of consequences.

Irregularities and all diseases of males and females treated on principles established by twenty years of practice, and sanctioned by thousands of the most remarkable cures. Medicines with full directions sent to any part of the United States or Canadas, by patients communicating their symptoms by letter. Business correspondence strictly confidential. Address
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HOWARD ASSOCIATION, PHILADELPHIA.

A Benevolent Institution, established by special endowment for the relief of the sick and distressed, afflicted with Virulent and Epidemic diseases.

To all persons afflicted with Sexual Diseases, such as *Spermatorrhœa, Sexual Weakness, Impotence, Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Syphilis, the vice of Onanism or Self Abuse, &c., &c.*

The HOWARD ASSOCIATION, in view of the awful destruction of human life, caused by Sexual Diseases, and the deceptions practised upon the unfortunate victims of such diseases by Quacks, several years ago directed their Consulting Surgeon, as a *charitable act* worthy of their name, to open a Dispensary for the treatment of this class of diseases, in all their forms, and to give medical advice *gratis*, to all who apply by letter, with a description of their condition, (age, occupation, habits of life, &c.,) and in cases of extreme poverty and suffering, *to furnish medicine free of charge.* It is needless to add that the Association commands the highest Medical skill of the age, and will furnish the most approved modern treatment.

The Directors, on a review of the past, feel assured that their labors in this sphere of benevolent effort, have been of great benefit to the afflicted, especially to the young, and they have resolved to devote themselves, with renewed zeal, to this very important but much despised cause.

Just published by the Association, a Report on Spermatorrhœa, or Seminal Weakness, the vice of Onanism, Masturbation or Self Abuse, and other diseases of the Sexual Organs, by the Consulting Surgeon, which will be sent by mail (in a sealed envelope), *free of charge*, on the receipt of two postage stamps for postage.

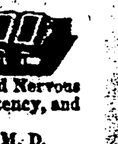
Address, for Report or Treatment, Dr. GEORGE R. CALHOUN, Consulting Surgeon, Howard Association, No. 2 S. Ninth street, Philadelphia, Pa. By order of the Directors.
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For sale by G. W. KESSLER, Altoona. [Jan. 14-tf.

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A few words on the Rational treatment, without Medicine, of Spermatorrhea or Local Weakness, Nocturnal Emissions, General and Nervous Debility, Premature decay of the System, Impotency, and Impediments to Marriage generally, by
B. DE LANEY, M. D.

The important fact that the many alarming complaints, originating in the imprudence and solitude of youth, may be easily removed WITHOUT MEDICINE, is in this small tract, clearly demonstrated; and the entirely new and highly successful treatment, as adopted by the Author, fully explained, by means of which every one is enabled to cure himself perfectly and at the least possible cost, thereby avoiding all the advertised nostrums of the day.

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SPRING AND SUMMER FASHIONS.—JOHN O.DONNELL, Merchant Tailor, late of Hollidaysburg, desires to inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that he has leased the building two doors North of the Red Lion Hotel and one door South of Nagle's Saloon, on Main street, where he is now receiving his

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

consisting in part of Cloths of all prices, Plain and Fancy Cassimeres, suitable for sumer wear, Silk, Satin Velvet Marseilles and all kinds of light Summer Vestings, in short, everything that may be called for, all of which he will make to order, on short notice, and on the most reasonable terms.

His long experience in the business, he thinks, will enable him to please all who may favor him with their orders.
April 1, 1858-1y.

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